

## Lightning Disrupts House And Throws Five People About

**Sunday Afternoon Storm Does Damage To House,  
Throws People To Ground, Causes Burns and Shock**

A lightning bolt struck Byron Armstrong's house at Zephyr on Sunday afternoon, spreading by way of a radio aerial to three chimneys, knocking plaster off in four rooms, scorching wallpaper, splintering woodwork, and tearing floor linoleum badly behind Mrs. Byron Armstrong's chair in the kitchen. The lightning grounded without causing fire.

Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Morris McNelly and her grandson, Gordon, who were in the kitchen, suffered great shock and were thrown off their chairs.

Mona Armstrong and Marion McNelly, standing at an outside door, were struck and thrown into the air approximately three feet, as described by those who saw them.

Merton McNelly had to rip Mona Armstrong's dress from an electrically charged kettle to which it stuck as she fell.

Mrs. Morris McNelly, Mrs. Byron Armstrong and Mona Armstrong are suffering from burns, and Marion McNelly is suffering from shock.

## Camp Pitcher Allows Only Two Hits In Nine Innings

**RESULT IS BLACK-OUT FOR  
LEAGUE LEADING  
TANNERS**

With "Lefty" Newbold, the Niagara Falls southpaw, pitching two-hit ball, the Military Camp defeated Davis Leather 9-0 on Thursday night.

Only three Davis batters were left on the base-paths as Newbold issued only one walk on top of the two hits he allowed.

Gunn reached third after he got a hit and stole two bases. This was the closest the tannery got to scoring. Geo. Haskett reached second on a walk and passed ball and Tansley got a single.

Newbold claimed 11 Davis batters out of a possible 15 via the strike-out route.

Bob Peters pitched the whole game for the Davis Leather team and allowed nine hits for nine runs. One of the Camp runs was a homer over the centrefield fence by Exelby.

Camp: Vaughn ss, Mitchell 3b, Gantner 2b, Wysinski cf, Exelby rf, Pirie c, Gorrie 1b, Morrison lf, Newbold p.

Davis: Gunn 2b, Geo. Haskett 1b, Peters p, Cain c, Wm. Haskett cf, Gibney ss, Tansley 3b, Brown rf, Bales lf.

### ATTENDS INSPECTION

Representing the Newmarket branch of the Navy League, H. M. Gladman, whose son is in the Canadian navy, visited the Queen Elizabeth sea cadets' camp at Beausoleil Island, Georgian Bay, on Thursday. The occasion was an inspection of the camp and the cadets by Hon. Angus L. Macdonald, minister of national defence for naval services, and Vice-Admiral Percy W. Nelles of the Royal Canadian Navy.

### Sutton R.C.A.F. Hero Has Been "All Over Europe"

Flight Sgt. Phillip (Brick) Brichita, 31, of Sutton West, helped bring a blazing bomber home from Essen a few weeks ago. As a result one of his comrades was awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal.

The three men were out on a Ruhr raid when the Wellington bomber they were flying was hit and set afire when crossing Holland. With the whole of the underside of the machine ablaze, and with the pilot battling to keep the "kite" under control, Brichita and another flier stamped out the flames with their feet, holding themselves up by grasping the bare side of the wings. They managed to kick the flaming material through the open bomb doors.

Flight-Sgt. Brichita, only son of Mrs. A. G. Brichita, Sutton West, has been overseas since last August. He graduated in May, 1941, and received his observer's wings in Toronto. He is the son of the late A. G. Brichita, who was killed flying in the last war.

"Brick," as he was known to his friends, attended school at Wellington College, England, before coming to Canada. In Sutton he was a member of St. George's Anglican church. In recent letters to his mother and sister he mentioned that he had taken part in quite a lot of raids in the last couple of months and that he had been "all over Europe."

### KINDLY NOTE

Editor, The Era and Express: Kindly note that I am enjoying nice ripe tomatoes. Also expect my "glads" to be out in full bloom by the 22nd.

Regards to all,  
Chas. W. Holmes  
Stratford,  
July 18, 1942.

### BOOKS INADEQUATE, STATES TREASURER

"Why can't the treasurer of the town of Newmarket tell us what commitments have been made by the committees?" Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale demanded at a town council meeting on Monday evening.

The reason is that the town has an inadequate bookkeeping system, replied N. L. Mathews, K.C., clerk, treasurer and solicitor.

If the town would install a bookkeeping system such as recommended by the town auditor, Mr. Mathews said that he would be glad to furnish the council with information about commitments.

"You know he can't give that information," Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales told Mr. Vale. "I just want to bring out that fact," said Mr. Vale. "I understand the treasurer can tell us what the committees have spent that has been actually paid for, but he can't tell us about expenditures for which no accounts have been rendered, or about commitments."

### BORN IN NEWMARKET, D. J. MADDEN DIES

Daniel J. Madden, Toronto, building contractor, died on Tuesday at St. Michael's hospital, Toronto, after an illness of ten days.

Born in Newmarket, where his parents were among the early settlers, he was in his 81st year and had been a resident of Toronto for nearly 60 years.

Widely known in Liberal circles, having had a part in several political campaigns, including those of Sir William Mulock, he was a member of Holy Family church, Knights of Columbus and the Ontario Liberal association.

Surviving are his widow, Bridget Gleason Madden, a son, John E., and three daughters, Mrs. S. W. Starr, Misses Irene and Florence Madden, all of Toronto.

### TOWN DIDN'T LOSE ANYTHING

Flagrant disregard of the speed limit for cars in the town was the reason for a recent campaign by Newmarket police against speeders, Councillor Wm. Dixon told the town council on Monday evening.

Mr. Dixon said that it had been necessary to employ Wellington Curtis for night patrol duty to enable one of the two constables to check up on the speeders. "It is not a nice thing to say, but the fines collected will pay the wages of the three men," said Mr. Dixon.

### HE'S A RANGER



Pte. W. E. Sisler is a member of the Queen's York Rangers active battalion. Pte. Sisler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sisler of the second concession of King township.

### EVEN HOME RUNS DON'T PULL SPECIALTY THRU

Monday night's hardball game resulted in a win for the Davis Leather and another loss for the Office Specialty. The final score was 12-8.

The Specialty started off with a rush in the first inning when both Smith and Gould poked home runs over the centre field fence. When Gould hit his, Banks was on second base. But the tannery came back with six runs in their half of the inning. The Specialty scored two more runs in the fourth and three in the sixth.

The Davis team counted in every inning but the fourth. They scored three more in the second two in the third and one in the fifth.

The tannery got 15 hits off Harry Comrie, a soldier from the camp who was on the mound for the Specialty. Gould, pitching for the tannery, allowed ten hits, struck out seven and walked seven men. Comrie struck out two and walked four men.

Specialty: Hilton ss, Widdifield 1b, Smith rf, Banks c, Gould 3b, Dixon lf, Neufeld cf, Peppiatt 2b, Comrie p, Craddock.

Davis: Gunn lf, Geo. Haskett 2b, Peters 1b, Cain cf, VanZant c, Gould p, Bill Haskett rf, Gibney ss, Tansley 3b.

|           |               |
|-----------|---------------|
| Standing  | W. L. T. Pts. |
| Davis     | 6 3 1 13      |
| Camp      | 5 1 1 11      |
| Specialty | 1 8 0 2       |

### TWO NEWMARKET BOYS AWARDED THEIR WINGS

At the wings ceremony at Camp Borden last Friday three graduates of Newmarket high school received their wings, Harold Rutledge and Gordon Ough of Newmarket and John Lowndes of Toronto, former Oak Ridges boy.

Gordon Ough and John Lowndes were awarded commissions and are now pilot-officers, while Harold Rutledge will become a sergeant-instructor at Trenton. Sgt. Rutledge was before enlisting on the staff of the Newmarket Era.

There is no charge for printing pictures in The Era and Express.

### ARE NEW TEACHERS

Three new teachers will be on the staff of the high school when it opens in September. Miss Grace Bateson of Lindsay will teach some English, French and geography, Miss Marie Douglas of Millbrook, mathematics, and Miss Esther McGee of Toronto, English history and physical training.

There is no charge for printing pictures in The Era and Express.

### IS WITH AIR FORCE



L.A.W. Lorna Weddel of the R.C.A.F., women's division, Hagersville, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Weddel, Sharon. Photo by Budd.

## Son Of Deerfoot Of Wilderness Trails Lives In Newmarket

**Eli Corbiere, Trader, Woodsman, Mail Courier,  
Was Father of Newmarket's Quiet Charles "Kirby"**

(Written for The Era and Express by J. M. WALTON, Aurora historian.)

In colonial days when King George III was sovereign of all America there was a youth in a religious seminary who will be the subject of this sketch. He was entering on a course that in the end would lead to ordination in the priesthood. That was not to be his destiny, however, nor was peace to be the destiny of the nation of which he was a citizen. Great changes were to come in the lives of men and nations through the great War of American Independence.

That revolution was to change the geography of the North American continent, and the British territories remaining after the peace in 1783 now form the Dominion of Canada. When the gallant soldier, Colonel John Graves Simcoe, one of the British officers who had to surrender his sword to the victorious American generals, came to Upper Canada it was then a wilderness. To him was given the great task of rallying the loyal British subjects under the flag and crown of Great Britain and to salvage from the United Empire Loyalists the foundation of a British colony in America.

Those were not the days of telegraph, telephone or radio; news could only be carried by courier on foot or in canoe. The settlements were sparse and far between. Those settlers who came into Canada were hardy frontiersmen who could stand the rigors of pioneering. When, in 1812, this small, weak colony of Great Britain found itself attacked by armies of the United States, the men who sprang to her military defence were the equal of the best the invaders could send against them, in bush fighting or any kind of frontier warfare.

Among those who answered the call was young Corbiere, who gave up his scholastic course, (Page 8, Col. 6)

### FALLING TREE CASTS ITS SHADOW BEFORE

Driving along in the heavy rain and wind storm with his wife and young son on Sunday afternoon, Lloyd Powell, Newmarket, noticed a shadow on the road in front of him at Sharon and put on his car brakes.

A big tree came tumbling down across the road just in front of the car, and a loose limb hit the back of the car. A number of cars were held up until the tree was moved from the highway.

### Zephyr Sportsman Dies Following Stroke

A lifetime resident of Zephyr, Chesley Pickering passed away at his home there on July 15 as the result of a stroke. He had been ill only ten days.

Chesley Pickering was born on June 22, 1886, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pickering, Zephyr. He was born in the house where he died. He married Pearl Peers on June 25, 1906.

Mr. Pickering was a farmer. He was an enthusiastic angler and hunter and was a member of Zephyr Hunt Club. He hunted deer for 34 consecutive years. For over 20 years he was president of the club, and was an excellent shot. He was a lover of clean sport.

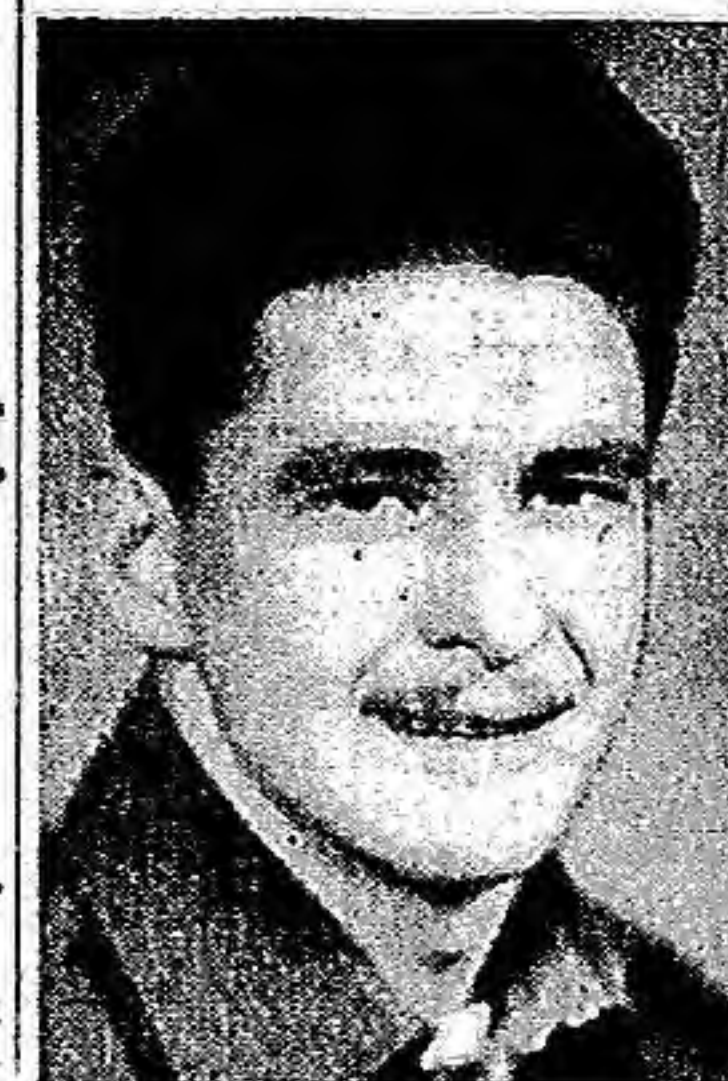
Mr. Pickering was a member of the United Church at Zephyr. Surviving besides his widow are two sons, Austin of Toronto and Keith at home; two daughters, Mrs. H. Morrison (Muriel) and Mrs. Chesley Lunney (Nina), both of Zephyr; one brother, Wellington, of Timmins; and six sisters, Mrs. A. P. Arnold (Lella) of Brooklyn, Mrs. H. Tiffin (Verna), and Mrs. C. Wason (Bertha), both of Peterborough, Mrs. I. B. Law (Daisy) of Zephyr, Mrs. Clark Lemon (Flora) of Kegworth, Sask., and Mrs. Wilfred Silversides (Cora) of Glenora, Sask.

The funeral service was held on Saturday afternoon at Zephyr and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Ferguson. Interment was made in Zephyr cemetery.

The pallbearers were A. Arnold, D. Graham, F. Walker, O. Silversides, A. Crowle, and F. Thompson. The wreath-bearers were members of the Zephyr Hunt Club, G. Weller, F. Smith, N. Lockie, J. W. Rynard, R. Haines, H. Pickering, C. Meyers and A. Cain.

There were many beautiful floral tributes from the family, the church and from neighbors.

### IS OUT WEST



Gnr. Grant Crowder is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Datus Crowder of Newmarket. He is a member of the Royal Canadian Artillery and is stationed at Terrace, B.C.

### BLAST FELS TREES, BREAKS POWER LINES

A wind storm on Sunday afternoon left a swath of damage and ruin behind it throughout northern York county. Probably the chief damage was to the grain crops. Many fields were laid low and salvage work will steal many precious hours of farm time.

In Newmarket the storm ripped awnings, flattened gardens and threw tree branches to the streets.

There was damage to both telephone and hydro-electric power lines throughout the district.

Newmarket was without power for two hours on Sunday afternoon. For an hour and a half of that time there was no power coming into the town from the Hydro-Electric, Angus Morrison, town water and light superintendent, stated.

This was caused by two elms on the Hon. E. J. Davis property which toppled over power lines on the Metropolitan right-of-way. This break, although beyond the Newmarket sub-station, caused a short that cut off Newmarket power until the trouble was discovered.

There were 20 wire breaks in Newmarket, and temporary repairs were effected within half an hour of the restoration of the hydro-electric power supply to the town. Permanent repairs were not completed until yesterday.

There was no transformer damage in Newmarket, Mr. Morrison stated.

The break in the Ontario Hydro lines north of the town cut off Sharon, Queensville, Keswick and the Sutton district until 11 p.m. Sunday. Part of the Sharon and Pine Orchard district, fed from Sharon, did not get power until 7:45 Monday evening.

The highway between Newmarket and Sutton was littered with branches, and in many instances branches were across the telephone lines. A. E. Revell, Newmarket, district supervisor of Bell Telephone lines, said that there were numerous wire breaks as a result of the storm but no extensive damage. There was not a great deal of interference with the telephone service.

A tree across the second concession road at the Green Lane, north of Newmarket, caused a traffic hold-up until removed. Trees and branches fell freely along the Lake Simcoe shoreline.

Neighbors swarmed to the scene and with the use of a fire-pump provided by Major N. P. Kelley, a neighbor, and 50 sap-palls, the firefighters were able to keep the hay-barn, only three feet away, and a pig-pen, only 20 feet away, safe. The wind was blowing away from the hay-barn but towards the pig-pen.

An excellent well provided the barrels and barrels of water that the bucket brigade put on the two threatened structures. The well did not give out until the barn fire was no longer dangerous.

There was a little rain at the time but not enough to help the firefighters substantially. The other buildings had been drenched with rain earlier.

There was no insurance on the building or its contents. The loss included a sow and 16 young pigs, a binder, mower, root-pulper, cutting-box, fanning-mill, old truck with four good tires, power plant made from a car engine, \$30 worth of wool and 30 loads of hay.

Kenneth Pottage, who is operating the farm on his own account for the third year, estimated his own loss at \$500 to \$600, and his father's loss at \$3,000.

There was a little rain at the time but not enough to help the firefighters substantially. The other buildings had been drenched with rain earlier.

There was no insurance on the building or its contents. The loss included a sow and 16 young pigs, a binder, mower, root-pulper, cutting-box, fanning-mill, old truck with four good tires, power plant made from a car engine, \$30 worth of wool and 30 loads of hay.

Kenneth Pottage, who is operating the farm on his own account for the third year, estimated his own loss at \$500 to \$600, and his father's loss at \$3,000.

There was a little rain at the time but not enough to help the firefighters substantially. The other buildings had been drenched with rain earlier.

There was no insurance on the building or its contents. The loss included a sow and 16 young pigs, a binder, mower, root-pulper, cutting-box, fanning-mill, old truck with four good tires, power plant made from a car engine, \$30 worth of wool and 30 loads of hay.

Kenneth Pottage, who is operating the farm on his own account for the third year, estimated his own loss at \$500 to \$600, and his father's loss at \$3,000.

## Mayor Converted To Clerk's Office Plan, Only Reeve Opposed

**Call For Specifications And Tenders, Provided  
Building Controller and Municipal Board Approve**

Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales "turned a back somersault in at the door" of a new town clerk's office at a town council meeting on Monday evening.

To the amazement of his council colleagues, Dr. Dales withdrew his strong opposition, expressed at the previous council meeting, to the proposal, and told the council to go ahead with its plan.

Dr. Dales' conversion left only Reeve Fred A. Lundy opposed to the undertaking, and Councillor A. D. Evans and Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale proceeded to put through the council a resolution asking H. A. Babcock, engineer, to prepare specifications for the new building and authorizing the property committee to call for tenders.

The town must secure the consent of the dominion building controller, as the cost of the building is expected to exceed \$5,000. If the town pays for the building with money raised by debenture it must secure the permission of the Ontario municipal board or a favorable vote of property-owners.

The new office would be situated at the northwest corner of Main and Millard (Lot St.), on the site of the present office, and would be entered from Millard Ave.

Dr. Dales was the chief opponent of the plan at the June council meeting. He offered at that time to find a solution of the problem. Since then he has

### HAVE NARROW ESCAPE AS TREE SMASHES CAR

A narrow escape from serious injury was experienced by Alva Smith and Miss Mary McClymont of Newmarket during the fierce electrical and wind storm that swept this district Sunday afternoon.

As they were driving along Indianola Beach, Lake Simcoe, a tree fell across the front of the car, smashing the grill. Neither occupant of the car suffered any injury.

## Lightning Fires Barn, No Insurance Covers Loss

**YOUNG KING FARMER  
SUFFERS SERIOUS SET-  
BACK FROM FIRE**

Fire resulting from lightning struck a serious blow at the farm of Luther Pottage, now operated by his son, Kenneth Pottage, on the second concession of King a few miles from Newmarket.

Lightning struck the main barn at seven o'clock on Sunday evening. In five minutes time, it seemed, the whole roof was ablaze. Kenneth Pottage was away at the time but his father was at home.

Neighbors swarmed to the scene and with the use of a fire-pump provided by Major N. P. Kelley, a neighbor, and 50 sap-palls, the firefighters were able to keep the hay-barn, only three feet away, and a pig-pen, only 20 feet away, safe. The wind was blowing away from the hay-barn but towards the pig-pen.

An excellent well provided the barrels and barrels of water that the bucket brigade put on the two threatened structures. The well did not give out until the barn fire was no longer dangerous.

There was a little rain at the time but not enough to help the firefighters substantially. The other buildings had been drenched with rain earlier.

There was no insurance on the building or its contents. The loss included a sow and 16 young pigs, a binder, mower, root-pulper, cutting-box, fanning-mill, old truck with four good tires, power plant made from a car engine, \$30 worth of wool and 30 loads of hay.

Kenneth Pottage, who is operating the farm on his own account for the third year, estimated his own loss at \$500 to \$600, and his father's loss at \$3,000.

There was a little rain at the time but not enough to help the firefighters substantially. The other buildings had been drenched with rain earlier.

There was no insurance on the building or its contents. The loss included a sow and 16 young pigs, a binder, mower, root-pulper, cutting-box, fanning-mill, old truck with four good tires, power plant made from a car engine, \$30 worth of wool and 30 loads of hay.

Kenneth Pottage, who is operating the farm on his own account for the third year, estimated his own loss at \$500 to \$600, and his father's loss at \$3,000.

### ARE TWO NEWMARKETERS



Pictured above are two more Newmarket boys on active service. On the left is Bdr. N. L. Park, who is a member of the Canadian Artillery, and is stationed at Petawawa. On the right is Pte. F. R. Cumber, who is stationed at Barriefield camp, Kingston, with the Royal Canadian Ordnance corps.

### PLAY MONDAY

There will be no hardball game tonight. The next league game will be on Monday, when the Camp and Davis Leather will meet.

### LAWN BOWLERS RETURN HOME EMPTY HANDED

Three rinks of men's doubles journeyed to Markham, and one rink of men's trebles partook in the tournament at Weston yesterday afternoon. The doubles rinks were composed of Vaughan Goring and Al White, C. F. Willis and Steve Rose, and Bob Large and Bert Budd, and the trebles rink, W. L. Bosworth and T. F. Doyle, of Newmarket, and Dr. C. H. Brerton, of Toronto.

The doubles rinks did not get in the win column, and the trebles rink won one game and lost two.

### HELPS A.R.P. WORK

On the motion of Councillor A. D. Evans and Reeve F. A. Lundy, the town council on Monday evening voted \$50 to the Newmarket Civilian Defence Committee.

### Prepare For Damage To Town Water Mains

"If you think they are necessary and they have any permanent value, the council will support you," said Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales, when Councillor Frank Bowser, chairman of the road and bridge committee, suggested the construction of approaches to the Bogartown creek on the east side of the town to enable the fire engine to use the water in an emergency.

Mr. Bowser said that the fire brigade was going to experiment with the use of water from the creek.

Reeve Fred A. Lundy said that it was one thing to construct approaches and another thing to keep the approaches usable, particularly in the winter-time.

The council authorized Mr. Bowser to construct one approach as an experiment.



# The Newmarket Era and Express

AMALGAMATING

THE NEWMARKET ERA

THE EXPRESS-HERALD

1852

1895

Published every Thursday at 142 Main St., Newmarket. Two dollars per year in advance. Single copies five cents each. Publisher and editor: Andrew Olding Hebb, Associate editor: Ruth Dingman Hebb. Owned by Newmarket Era and Express Ltd.

Member of Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association and Audit Bureau of Circulations. National advertising representative, E. C. Hipgrave, Manager, Glass A Weeklies of Canada, 100 Adelaide St. W., Toronto.

THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1942

## CHAMPIONS NEEDED

The essence of democracy is probably more to be found in ancient liberties established in England during the early centuries of absolute monarchy, serfdom and human slavery than in the ballot-box which has come into being in these days of limited monarchy. The most important of those liberties are freedom of speech, the right of assembly, the right of habeas corpus (no one to be held without trial), and the freedom of the printing-press.

As a result of the establishment of these principles, and their transfer to this country, people have felt so secure politically that they have not been much concerned about war-time raids upon these key liberties. Today, however, our government arrests men and holds them without trial, perhaps for seemingly good reason, but nevertheless without trial.

Even newspapers, dependent for their existence upon the continuance of these liberties, have not become generally concerned about this threat to democracy. It is a real debt which the public owes to those who do see the danger and who do try to arouse the public to a realization of the danger. We think of an organization called the Civil Liberties Union, which is inclined to thrive in university cities, and newspapers (among those we read) like the weekly Fort Erie Times-Review and the Toronto Daily Star.

## THE TIDE TURNS

There is reason to expect that there may be some curtailment of the growing expenditures on alcoholic liquor in Canada. While the dominion government protests that this problem is not its responsibility, parliament seems to have debated the question twice recently. That does not indicate that the King government will take any action, but it does indicate that public opinion increasingly disapproves of this waste. The beverage alcohol industry would be wise to pull in its neck and stop pushing its sales. A continuance of expansion will surely bring an extreme swing in the other direction, with all the bitterness and debate of those other prohibition years.

When a Canadian brewer can get himself into a key position, in the control of precious shipping space, where he can shove a case of beer into a niche which he thinks wouldn't take one of the cases of ammunition getting mouldy at Atlantic ports, then the public is justified in murmuring, "Perhaps we lost Libya because we sent the United Nations soldiers too much beer and not enough munitions."

## NO REASON FOR DESPAIR

Our optimism still prefers those military commentators who see the present military situation as fundamentally and predominantly favoring the Allies. We wonder if those who talk of 1945 and 1946 really achieve their alleged object of making people realize the seriousness of our situation. It would seem more likely to discourage people from entering upon a routine of everyday economy and sacrifice. What can be borne for a year or two cheerfully may look impossible as a three year program.

The outlook is not black. Germany makes her military gains at tremendous price. Her this-year objectives if attained cannot increase her war production to equal the ever-increasing United Nations' production. Germany is still making a good showing but the United Nations are making an ever better showing. Germany's chief advantage at the moment seems to be better management, but a military commentator not given to undue optimism states that better leaders are steadily coming to the front in the Allied ranks.

## PITY MR. ILSLEY

How cumbersome a thing is the machinery of government is illustrated when Hon. J. L. Ilsley, minister of finance, protests about R.C.A.F. administrative officers, who had never intended to leave the solid earth, flying as passengers with real fliers so that they may gain exemption from income tax through more than 100 hours a year in the air. Bravery, what climbs are committed in this name! "That, to me, is scandalous," says Mr. Ilsley.

Mr. Ilsley also tells of civil servants in the department of national defence taking a commission and putting on a uniform, apparently also to gain income tax advantages. Mr. Ilsley says that he has fought a losing fight, apparently in cabinet council, against this form of heroism. Mr. Ilsley says: "The arguments are that they are going to work with men in uniform and they must have authority. Considerations of discipline are involved."

The picture is of the minister of finance, the man who decides what the taxes are to be, seeing men in the government employ, men right under his nose, dodging taxes, and himself powerless to do anything about it. Government is cumbersome.

Mr. Ilsley tells of other injustices arising out of income tax regulations. Because married women were quitting work when they found that the government was going to get a substantial share of what they were earning, Mr. Ilsley had to amend his recent income tax proposals. He says: "The person who has the grievance now is the single woman, who sees working beside her a married woman who has a husband to support her, and whose husband is getting an allowance on the assumption that he has a home and is supporting his wife when actually he is not supporting her, because she is working. We cannot help

it. We have to get these people to work and keep them at work."

The patriotism of individuals who leave war industry for such reasons is no greater than the patriotism of the firms who at the beginning of the war would not, according to a minister of the crown, work for a five percent profit. And when they are the wives of men on active service their patriotism and willingness to sacrifice compares unfavorably with the patriotism of their soldier-husbands.

## MODERATION LEAGUE NEEDED

When an Ontario provincial election comes, as it must eventually, it is to be hoped that the opposition parties, the Conservatives and the C.C.F., divide up the constituencies and not allow Mr. Hepburn to divide and rule. The job that needs doing at the moment is to put Mr. Hepburn out of office. There is need for a government at Queen's Park which will co-operate with Ottawa, which will not hold out for better financial deals, which will provide whatever social services are necessary to Ontario's best industrial war effort, and which will discourage the sale of the alcoholic beverages which are wasting the strength, time and energy of the people of Ontario.

Mr. Hepburn means well but he performs badly. He is anxious to do a good war job but he is even more anxious for the dollars from the liquor industry which balance his provincial budget. It is refreshing to hear him say that he has become a "teetotaler." If he realizes that alcohol is not a good thing for himself, he may not be far from realizing that it is not always a good thing for others. Mr. Hepburn and Ontario's liquor control board, without any interference with people's personal liberty, could undertake a patriotic temperance campaign which would substantially reduce Ontario's drink bill and increase her war-time efficiency.

Of course the Conservative and C.C.F. leaders have not yet made it clear that they do not approve of the Hepburn liquor policy.

## WHAT OTHERS THINK

### CONSERVATIVE REORGANIZATION (Brampton Conservator)

Discussing the position and future of the Conservative party, the Winnipeg Tribune urges the necessity of a settlement of the question of leadership, both permanent and temporary. Mr. Meighen is leader without a seat in parliament and making no apparent effort to secure one. Mr. Hanson, who has acted as house leader, has no desire to continue in that position. Under such conditions organization is impossible. Without organization, success in an election which may come quickly need not be looked for. The selection of one of the younger men as temporary leader will be necessary if Mr. Hanson insists upon his desire to step aside. "Several of the younger members," says the Tribune, "among them Diefenbaker of Saskatchewan, Graydon of Ontario and Green of British Columbia have been mentioned as possible successors to Mr. Hanson. A younger successor to Mr. Hanson might aspire to the permanent leadership if he proved his ability."

It is well known that Mr. Graydon has no leadership aspirations, but the mention of his name in such a connection, especially by a paper of the standing of the Tribune, shows the position he occupies as one of the able young members of the present House of Commons. There will be general agreement with the suggestion of the Winnipeg paper that steps looking to the complete reorganization of the party should be taken immediately after the close of the present session of parliament.

### POST-WAR PLANNING (Kirkland Lake Northern News)

While it is still somewhat early to worry about what will happen after the war is over there are some people who are most concerned about it. There are some who say we will be ruined financially, ruined for generations. They contend money will be conspicuous by its absence.

But there are some who think the war will find us a nation with far too much money—and won't know just what to do with it.

Throughout the war the government has been, in a sense, creating more and more money in that it is forcing the people to save while at the same time it is securing the necessary funds with which to carry on the war, by means of war savings stamps, war savings certificates, victory bonds, compulsory savings. It is quite true that currency inflation has been guarded against but is there not some danger that, after the war, the very danger the government sought to avert will result through the possession and cashing in of the various types of paper floated to finance the war?

With the war over, the government will not need so much of the nation's and the people's resources. There will not be the need for the creation of additional currency as during the war through the issuing of stamps, bonds, savings. But the currency created in this way will be in existence and many who never had bank accounts before will be in a better position, from the standpoint of currency in the form of paper held, than ever before.

It goes without saying that the first need for post war governments will be the prevention of undue spending that could, very easily, result in a price inflation after the war that would

negative all the excellent work done in fixing price ceilings on all much needed commodities.

There will be a very drastic need for an adjustment of money to post-war realities. It will call for even bolder leadership and bolder action than now, when war stringencies make it imperative for us to obey the dictates of government to ensure our winning the war. Then, with the war in the background, there will be a tendency to balk at controls, to throw off the hampering restrictions, to spend and indulge ourselves and in so doing bring about a financial and economic defeat that could easily render of no value any victories we may gain.

It has been suggested that the destruction of the war will result in a post-war reconstruction period that will go on for many years—that after the war there will be a golden era of reconstruction, a renaissance that will outvie anything of the past. There is danger in that thought, for the exigencies of war have brought into existence new methods of construction, knowledge how to

handle new materials, new and advanced engineering that may well make the reconstruction period relatively short. After that we may have a period of industrial stagnation that will make the depression years of the past something to be remembered as merely a mild economic crisis of little note in relation to the problem that must then be met.

Industries geared to the task of producing war munitions must be put back into peace-time production without danger of creating an industrial stagnation. Dammed up purchasing power must also be cared for in order that sudden flows of currency will not cause the very inflation the avoidance of which is so carefully sought today. Leadership will be even more important after the war than now, for many labor problems, now in abeyance, will come up for solution and there will be need for even more wise guidance than now, when personal gain is being set aside in the desire to meet a national problem that hourly is becoming a personal one for all Canadians.

## Of People And Things

WHAT WE HAVE

By Isabel Inglis Colville

It has always been said that "a chain is only as strong as its weakest link," and thinking of our democracies as a chain, I have wondered where the weak link is, which heretofore has kept us from being welded so closely together that when the need arose the chain COULD not break. Is democracy a poor welder or are we poor metal, liable to break when any strain is put upon us? Have we, the peoples of the democracies, had so much freedom, that until we were projected into this war, we had ceased to think in terms of national good; had "we, the people," become so engrossed, each in his own affairs—and the betterment thereof—that we forgot we had a duty to the state.

Until the war upset our smug complacency, we felt we were getting along fairly well, no matter who was on top in either federal or provincial affairs—so why worry. Did we ever give more than a passing thought as to how our national leaders would stand up in a national or international crisis? Not many, unless the far-sighted and those we thought pessimists, really thought of these things, and what they thought and said—unhonored and unsung was dismissed with a shrug and a "they always see the black side." And what was true of our dominion was true of ALL the democracies. They, like us, were short-sighted—they could not foresee that a union of free peoples, a propaganda—well implemented by help where help was needed, to spread the principles we all, AS democracies felt were essential to real living, was as necessary and much more effective in peace than in war. How could we, living-out our lives, protected BY all that democracy stands for, but making no effort to show to the world the benefits OF democracy, hope to influence peoples, who, from childhood up, were taught that "THEY were

nothing; the STATE was everything. These people thought us weaklings, unprepared to defend the principles we didn't even trouble to enunciate, let alone blazon forth for all to hear, and could you wonder they didn't even trouble to understand them? Have we learned our lesson? Can the democracies show to the undemocratic peoples that their way of living is worth LIVING for as well as DYING for. They have showed they can stand persecution, torture, starvation, destruction of homes and businesses, but still, these seem to make no impression on Nazi or Fascist—they think these a sign of weakness, so they have to be shown that democracy CAN give blow for blow. But when all is over, and freedom's flag flies where swastika and rising sun once flaunted, then will be the chance to proclaim in no uncertain terms the fundamental unity of the democracies—that they can fight as well as when driven by tyrants, that they have suffered and died rather than live ignominiously, and that their philosophy of life is worth this and WHY it is worth this. Will we do it?

## FARM FORUM

By MAE HARMAN

How odd it is that it takes a war to wake us up to the problems of health. All during peace time we were almost unaware of the unequal distribution of medical and dental services. We were indifferent to the fact that we were rearing a physically unfit generation.

What caused 44 percent of Canada's young men to be rejected for active service? Defective eyesight, intestinal trouble and foot trouble were the main reasons. About two-thirds of those found unfit for military service in the United States were found to be suffering from disabilities directly or indirectly connected with nutrition.

This was mainly because low incomes prevented proper diets and also because of ignorance of the values of different foods and how to prepare them.

Low incomes also keep people from consulting the doctor. Fear of an expensive operation and resultant debt makes them put off seeking aid at the beginning and finally when the doctor has to be called, either some expensive treatment is found necessary or it is too late to check the ailment.

Even before the war, there was an acute shortage of doctors, nurses, dentists and hospitals. This was especially true in rural areas, very many of which have no resident doctor. We are told that 28 percent of the population living in cities of 30,000 or over were served by almost half of the doctors, nurses and dentists. Of course, conditions are much worse at the present time.

That people are awakening to the need for more and better health services is clearly demonstrated by the number of health surveys being conducted, the stressing of more preventative medicine, the setting up of dental and immunization clinics in schools, agitation for public health nurses in Newmarket and other centres and the intense study rural groups are making of the municipal doctor system as it has been carried out in the west.

What a splendid contribution to our war effort it would be if we could raise the health standards of all our citizens and reduce the number of hours lost by industry through the illness of workers.

In China, that nation which has been fighting for its very existence for five years, they say that NOW is the time to do things. They are building schools, highways and hospitals, and establishing co-operatives, not just in addition to the war effort, but as a part of it.

In this country, too, we should continue to strive for those things which are for the good of all. What will it profit us if we save democracy on the war front

## Find London A Close Second To Newmarket

"Well, I have finally got around to thanking you for your swell parcel which arrived a month ago," a letter from Gnr. Bob Dixon tells the Newmarket Veterans' Association. "I received it, I was away on leave and later on course so have been unable to answer until now."

"Needless to say, it was certainly appreciated and the boys sure helped to clean it up in a hurry. It is sure swell to receive parcels and letters from home and to know that the people back there have not forgotten us."

"Have now been over here just over six months and have already met several lads from home, including Ben Bullock, Bob Blencowe, Joe Darrach, Sid Fierheller and Jack Williams. Fred Cunningham and I are still together, but hardly expect our luck will hold out much longer."

"At present the weather is lovely. Today we were out on a scheme and all of us succeeded in getting a good tan started. Have been swimming several times. There are several good pools in nearby towns and cities. Have also been on several leaves and had a wonderful time wherever we went. Spent my last week's leave in London. It is not terribly expensive, for there are swell service clubs where you can get bed and breakfast for 2/6. There is always a great deal to do and if short of money the Beaver Club will usually be able to supply free show tickets."

"I have just come back at noon from a very enjoyable nine day leave to find a carton of fags waiting for me from you." LAC Mervyn Walman wrote to the Veterans. "No doubt you have all had leaves and know how I came back, so they were more than appreciated. It is the first I've had from you since my short arrival in England, but from reports from Gerry Gorman, who is on the same train with me, you are certainly doing a wonderful job."

"From what I have seen over here so far among the Canadian lads, the Newmarket boys are away out in front when it comes to being remembered by the different organizations and friends at home."

"From Coder Bruce Gould, coming with the Canadian mail, comes an interesting letter thanking the Veterans for cigarettes and canned goods."

"I want to thank you, each and everyone, for the swell parcels that I recently received. Everything just hits the spot, and there's nothing urges a fella on more than to know that he's being constantly thought of by the folks back home—especially when things refer to the stomach."

"It sure is good to be able to go down to the mess after a long 21-hour watch and heat up some soup—or have some pears or peaches with bread, butter and the customary tea."

"Think for a minute that I am all devoured by yours truly alone. A parcel like that literally becomes the property of the mess. That's the navy—unless you want to get hard. But then comes the time when one of the others has a little parcel which actually confers with the stomach and everybody participates in the luxurious package until it becomes sadly dilapidated and there's no more in it whatsoever—and then somebody starts cleaning up the crumbs. Then just before slumber falls over the (usually overfed) little group—those cigarettes make the rounds. And with the mess in a daze, but perfectly radiant cloud of smoke, I, with my mind dwelling on one subject only—Newmarket—find myself leaving . . . and wake up sitting in Stanley's Cafe or taking part in some other evening activity at home—with the best pals in the world. And after covering every inch of the town, I feel a little bit blow in the rear of my poor weary carcass and suddenly find myself minus the blankets and I am off to work again."

"A letter can never actually express how much every little thing that comes from you and the rest of Newmarket's war workers and individual comforters are appreciated. The only thing that can be done is to do the best that any fellow can ever do to help bring things back to their rightful state—give Hitler a devil of a bending. And hope that everyone will be happy with the ones they and lose it here at home? Healthy bodies will help us to develop and preserve healthy minds and we shall need both in the long struggle ahead. Whatever we can do to equip ourselves for the future, we should do. The need after the war will be even greater than now."

We must study the various proposals and methods for making health services available to a greater number of people, and where action is possible, we should lend every effort, whether it be in the equipping of people to the need for action, in the setting up of a clinic, or in securing legislation for the municipal doctor system.

## LOCOMOTIVES

By GOLDEN GLOW

Don't worry, I'm not going to give you the history of the origin of locomotives, you can go and look that up for yourself if you would really like to know who invented them, and when, and how, and where, and why, and all the other details. I have a vague idea the first one was invented by a coal-miner in England in the 18th century, but don't bother to check up on me for I really don't care!

It is a long cry from that to our modern locomotives—and I frankly admit I don't know the history of them either—only the results to a moderate way, as one of the travelling public.

What started me on this subject was hearing an engine panting and puffing to get around the curve beyond Water St., round the curve of the pond, on its way down to Aurora. Queer how we all sort of hold our breath and help push, and when the train finally makes the grade we feel a subdued sense of satisfaction, as if we really had been a bit of help.

But if it can't make the grade and has to back up and call for help—you know the different "hoots" mean different things, you feel a sense of frustration, and you follow that train in your mind's eye till you feel it is safely on a side track at the station, and no fast train is going to come along and smash into it from north or south!

By the way, the engineer in a train once sounded the alarm for

have been temporarily parted from in the very near future."

"It is two years ago this month since I arrived over here," Spr. Earl Moss writes in thanking the Veterans for cigarettes and canned goods, "and do not seem to have taken much harm as yet and with work to keep us busy the time has passed quite pleasantly for me. So far it has been a picnic compared with what we went through during the last war in France. We have only had a few months in tents since coming over. The rest of the time we have had comfortable billets and the rations are still pretty fair, although of course we grouse just as much as in the old days when rations were short and perhaps only a loaf to seven or eight."

"Things have been pretty quiet here with the war on so. In England the last year or so, I had with me 1 1/2 per pint and no tobacco worth smoking—about 1/10 per ounce, the horrors of war are being brought home to the British working men as never before."

"I have been in two scrambles so far and got banged up a little." Spr. A. G. Chantler tells the Veterans, writing to thank them for the parcels sent to him. "I ran into Mr. Elphinstone and Vic. Bridges last month and haven't seen them since."

In a letter to Bill White of the Veterans' Association L-Cpl. Earl Wrightman thanks the veterans for cigarettes. "I see Dave and Jim (White) quite often, as we are in the same regiment. They both use the word 'batter' and I will look older and more grown up to you when you see him next. I haven't seen very many Newmarket boys, but we don't get around a great deal, so I guess that explains it."

"Practically every night the fellows in the bus post their 'resources' and we have our 'night' lunch (actually it is 9 or 9.30 o'clock)." Gnr. Fred Cunningham writes in expressing his appreciation to the Veterans. "Many of the fellows have asked me to extend their thanks to you."

"I have just finished a week's leave in London, and what a town! The people make you feel like the English very easy to talk with and they make you feel very welcome and completely at home. It really surprised me at first how, in a short time, a stranger could seem like an old friend."

"Amusement, especially dancing, is very cheap. The dance halls are far better than anything in Canada, where you would pay \$1.25 or \$1.50. The orchestras are anywhere from ten to 15-piece. I am having a grand time here and I am really enjoying my stay in England."

Another letter from Gnr. Bruce Gould expresses his thanks for cigarettes. "It's been just like home here the past few weeks—six Newmarket boys all cooped up here," he writes. "People here certainly know Newmarket now. Here is the place holding up since I left! I suppose it's just a busy as ever with soldiers pushing up and down every street in town. It's just the same here. Only I think the sailors stand out just a little more in the spotlight."

"Hoping to be able to get back to normal routine in the greatest little town in the dominion in a short time, I'll close saying 'three cheers for Newmarket!'"

"We are all looking again," writes Pte. Art. Brynner in thanking the Veterans for a parcel of canned goods. "I see Fred Evans and Allan MacDonald almost every day. About a month ago I saw Percy Myra for the first time since he came to Canada and he is doing fine."

Letters of appreciation have been received from L-Mr. H. R. Brown, Tpr. Bob McCannan, Spr. T. B. Legge, Gnr. A. L. Emmerson, Rtn. R. W. Blencowe and L-Cpl. G. Rowland.

Cards have been received from Gnr. A. Thompson, Gnr. A. L. Emmerson, Pte. C. Gordon, Bdm. G. T. Blencowe, Spr. A. Thompson, Rtn. Don. Lyall, Lorne McCormick, Rtn. Enri W. Cole, Gnr. Fred Cunningham, Spr. E. White, Gnr. R. A. Harman, Cpl. C. E. Henderson, Sgt. Vic. Bridges, LAC E. Burke, Spr. H. Moss, Cpl. L. H. Fletcher and Capt. J. O. Cook.

CANDID COMMENT  
We've always believed that breaking a mirror is a good sign. It means that you're going to live at least another seven years.

A fire here in our town one night. I forgot now where the fire was, but he saw it and saw, too, that nobody was around, so he blew the train whistle for all he was worth, all the way through town, and had the satisfaction of knowing he had done his good deed for that day, for he called out the fire brigade!

Queer how so many of our words are derived from the Latin. Locomotive literally means power of moving from place to place, locus, place, and motio, motion. I often think how clever of our ancestors to apply their knowledge of the classic languages to name new inventions, and to give short, concise names to our fauna and flora, etc., as well as to other things terrestrial and celestial and nautical. (Maybe I've not spelled those words correctly—but maybe, too, you don't know either, so what does it matter?)

Guess what else I am thinking about locomotives? Yes, you may as well give up unless you, too, have noticed the same thing—how the engine whistle seems to dominate everything in our down-town area and in the churches when anything special is going on. They start to whistle down at Peter Pearson's, crossing, a mile and a quarter below Aurora, and has hardly ended "toot, toot, toot-toot" long drawn out too, till it starts again for Water St. crossing: that is hardly over till "toot, toot, toot-toot" for Timothy St., then again the same for Queen St. and the bridge, and then Huron St. and the station approaches Holland Landing, four miles north of us.

In the past few years on our car rides round the country, we used to see long strings of empty cars, hundreds of cars, here and there on sidings, in lonely countryside, and supposed they were "waiting" for the harvest "vest" would be busy, and we thought perhaps they were permanently out of commission. I am still wondering if the motor transports had put them completely off the map. But now, if they are not destroyed, they will come into their own once again, for the locomotive has become a very important factor in our everyday life.

There was a good film here once, ages ago, that our Home and School club of those days sponsored, called "Tell it to Sweeney," and it was about locomotives, and I recall a bit about the picture where a steam locomotive and a commandeered stack of wood along the way for the engine, and how that engine responded, rushing down the railway track with smoke pouring from its funny old tall funnel. Queer how a thing like that remains in your head for so many years!

But I think I'll never, if I live to be a hundred, forget the huge mountain engine that they attached to our train in the Rockies on the trip to the coast, just after I left school, and the spur lines every so often where we could be switched to if the engine failed to draw us up and we had to back up, whether we wanted to or not. If you have read this far, you'll know I don't know anything about engines and I don't know what I am talking about, you'll give up in disgust or despair—and so will I! So long, everybody!

## 50 YEARS AGO

From Era and Express files, July 22, 1892

Miss Mamie Millard is spending a couple of weeks in the city. Mr. Andrew O'Malley is here on a couple of weeks visit with his brother, Mr. P. J. O'Malley. Mrs. L. B. Scott is spending a two months vacation at Pickering, Napanee and Picton, with relatives.

Messrs. A. I. Hollingshead and C. A. Ferry attended the dentists' convention in Toronto last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of Toronto have been spending a week at Mrs. Williams' father's, Mr. Geo. Strigley's. Miss Duffy of Toronto was also with them.

Mrs. C. C. Fennell and two children from Buffalo were visiting Mr. Bogart this week. They will spend three weeks with friends in Newmarket and Bradford. Mr. Fennell formerly worked in the old hat factory.

W. P. Mulock, M.P. for North York, and family, have returned to their country residence on Yonge St. for the summer. The genial face of the lawyer-farmer, as he is sometimes called, may now be seen almost daily on our streets, greeting old friends.

MARRIED—In Newmarket, on July 14, by Rev. W. W. Smith, Mr. Henry Rhinehart to Miss Rachel Stickletholme, both of Newmarket.

## 25 YEARS AGO

From Era and Express files, July 20, 1917

Newmarket Orange lodge, including the ladies, paraded to St. Paul's church on Sunday evening and listened to a good sermon by the rector of the Anglican church at Aurora. A number of Aurora lodge members were also in attendance.

Every one of the 27 public school pupils sent up for entrance examinations by Principal N. A. Cornell succeeded in passing. It would be hard to beat that record. Wood has been received here that Pte. Edward Sprague, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sprague, has been admitted to the British Red Cross hospital, Calais, suffering with severe gunshot wounds in the right shoulder.

Second A.M. Trevor Bogart, accompanied by his friend, Cpl. Smith, of the Royal Flying Corps, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bogart.

BORN—In Newmarket, on July 1, 1917, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton, daughter.  
DIED—At Bradford, on July 11, 1917, John Rogers, father of Mrs. W. E. Richardson and Mrs. Waldruff of Newmarket, in his 71st year.





It is an interesting coincidence that the two most outstanding athletes on the Liberal side of the House have been the two most prominent government advocates of a more aggressive war policy since this session commenced in January. Fred Hoblitzell is a golf champion of continental repute. He represents the Eglington riding of Toronto, having redeemed it from the Conservatives in 1940. Ross Gray, popularly known on the football field as "Dolly" Gray, was one of Sarnia's great rugby stars. Ross tells me that Fred and he played on the same championship baseball team nine years ago. They still make a good team. The chances are, however, that neither of them could do 100 yards in ten seconds flat at the moment. Times takes its toll.

Into a debate on monetary matters and credit slipped "Gerry" McGeer of Vancouver. He has been ill for months, and this was his first effort since he returned to the House. Powerfully-built, and perhaps the most forceful and convincing speaker in the Commons, this big Irishman from the coast led a merciless attack upon the ministry of finance and our policy in Canada and in the United States of collecting gold during the years before the war while other nations were collecting scrap iron and steel. He put up a good case. While McGeer is not a Social Creditor, he received tremendous applause, particularly from that section of the House, during his address.

The immigration of British children to Canada has almost dried up, according to the latest report of the minister of mines and resources. Since the war broke out, 7,920 children have come to our shores from the United Kingdom, but the majority of them arrived in 1940. So far this year only 189 children have arrived.

One contentious topic of parliamentary discussion in former days has almost completely disappeared since war broke out. The old tariff ghost

stalked about the chamber last week again, however, when Gordon Ross, robust champion of free trade from Moose Jaw, threw in a few digs at the government about still retaining some tariff walls against other nations. He was followed by Ernie Hansell, the minister-politician from Macleod, Alberta. Ernie got his figures mixed and thought the government was putting on a tariff on a certain article when actually they were taking it off. He launched into a severe criticism of the minister of finance, only to find that he was attacking an enemy who wasn't there at all. Was his face red?

"Penny" candy jumped right into the limelight during the budget debate. If the children of Canada could have listened to the discussion last week, they would have thought that parliament hadn't overlooked them after all. Chocolates and candy are to have a tax of 30 percent from now on. This means, according to many members, including the leader of the opposition, that "cent" candy can no longer be sold for a cent. Arthur Roebuck joined in the opposition to the tax and said, "I do not know a meaner tax than that which takes candy from the babies." Mr. Hsley evidently remained unconvinced, for the tax is likely to remain. In any event, penny confectionery had a meteoric, if brief, flight through parliament, thanks to the new levies.

The courts of law have removed from the membership of the House of Commons one of the prominent Jersey breeders of the dominion. Robert G. Davidson, government member for Stanstead, was elected in 1935, and sat continuously until he was unseated three weeks ago. His case is the first one of its kind since I entered the Commons in 1936.

Twelve members of His Majesty's loyal opposition in the House of Commons have boys serving in our armed forces overseas and at home. "Mac" Lockhart, the big, silver-haired, athletically-built M.P. for Lin-

#### UXBRIDGE RINK TAKES HIGH FOR THREE WINS

The ladies' lawn bowling club held a mixed fours twilight tournament last Thursday evening. 15 rinks taking part.

Mr. Tunstall's rink from Uxbridge was high for three wins. G. L. Manning's rink of Mrs. J. E. Murphy, John Macnab and Mrs. W. M. Cockburn, also had three wins.

S. R. James' rink of Mrs. C. G. Wainman, F. H. Hewson and Mrs. W. L. Bosworth, was high for two wins.

High for one win was Al. White's rink of Mrs. R. D. Brown, Vaughan Goring and Mrs. J. E. Sloss.

War savings stamps were given as prizes.

If you have something you want to sell or buy phone Newmarket 780 to use Era and Express Classifieds.

coln, leads all the opposition members in this respect. He has two sons, Don and "Tank." Both of the Lockhart boys are serving at this moment overseas, in the same artillery unit. "Bill" Rowe, 18-year-old son of the member for Dufferin-Simcoe, is in the air force. Ten other members in the group have one son each in the services.

"Tis said we are to adjourn on July 25. The four party leaders got their heads together this week and decided. This may mean we shall terminate our work on that date, but it is extremely doubtful if the House will rise as soon as that. There is still a heavy agenda of work to be completed before adjournment and there hasn't been much evidence so far that the heat has stilled the tongues of some of the more talkative representatives.

The Conservative caucus last week decided to appoint no more new leaders for the time being. Rumors had been current for quite a time pointing to a change in the House leadership of the opposition party. The names of Diefenbaker and Green were most prominently mentioned, and either one of them would have done a good job. However, 63-year-old "Dick" Hanson, veteran of many a political battle, carries on with the unanimous endorsement of the opposition members of the House. What the party lacks in members, it makes up in leaders. It is the only group now that enjoys the luxury of two chiefs. In the interim period between the Liberal convention of 1919 and the general election of 1921, that party carried on in a similar fashion, and with rather good results.

#### THEY HEAR WEDDING BELLS



Fay Bainter acts as maid of honor at the wedding of Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn in "Woman of the Year," new film opening Monday at the Strand. It's the first co-starring film for these two headline personalities, with Tracy playing a sports writer and Miss Hepburn an international columnist. Plenty happens after they get married!

## Mayor Converted To Clerk's Office Plan, Only Reeve Opposed

(Continued from Page 1)

spent hours, he stated, in the clerk's office, with carpenters and architects, but without tangible results.

"The best we could do was to get 50 square feet additional floor space at a cost of \$1,000," he said.

"The place is impossible, unsanitary and antiquated," said Dr. Dales. "There is no vestibule and no lavatory. The records are not safe."

"The town handles a quarter of a million dollars worth of business in that place," he commented. "The system is 25 years out-dated and we must do something about it."

"I withdraw my objections, because of war-time or anything else. If this council wishes to go forward with plans for a new building, you have my support. I think it should be done by debentures, but that is up to you."

Councillor A. D. Evans was the first to express agreement with

the mayor's statement in favor of proceeding with the proposal.

"None of us are anxious to spend money at this time, but some of us who have been closely associated with the town clerk's office see a new building as a necessity," said Deputy Reeve Vale.

"We were struggling along for years. The war has increased the work. There is the tax on electricity. There is the defence tax. There is going to be the income tax. You can't put another girl in there to work."

"The water and light committee is vitally concerned in this matter, and I suggest that the water and light committee be invited to sit in with the property committee when they are ready to call for tenders."

"I hoped that you could find another solution to this problem," said Councillor Wm. Dixon. "I am opposed to any unnecessary expenditures in war-time. What is this going to cost you?"

"Eight thousand or nine thousand dollars," said Mr. Evans.

"I don't see any way you can avoid this expenditure," Mr. Dixon said. "I will support it."

"Every dollar, every man should go to defeating Hitler," said Reeve F. A. Lundy. "Materials are at their highest now. We have struggled along so far. I don't think we should undertake it now."

"Are you saving money with an inefficient system?" asked Mr. Evans.

"I think it is a false economy carrying on with the present building," said Councillor Frank Bowser.

Messrs. Evans, Spillette, Bowser, Higginson, Dixon and Vale voted for the resolution, Mr. Lundy against. Dr. Dales was in the chair.

Councillor Wm. Dixon suggested fixing up the former council chamber (adjoining the new council chamber) to make it more suitable for committee meetings. The council approved the suggestion.

#### MRS. BASIL WATSON ENTERTAINS W. L. LADIES

The regular meeting of the Newmarket Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Basil Watson, Gorham St., on July 16. The meeting was opened by singing the Institute Ode and Creed. The roll-call was answered by each member giving the name of a York county pioneer family. The minutes were read and adopted.

Several members promised to knit the garments required to fill the ditty bags for the Navy League. The ladies discussed the classes for remodelling clothes, which will be held in March.

As the speaker for the afternoon didn't arrive, the ladies discussed the fair to be held in October. The meeting closed with God Save the King.

A lovely picnic lunch was served afterwards and soft drinks were served instead of tea. The members thanked Mrs. Watson for her hospitality and were given an invitation to come again.

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNED BY NAZARENES

The church school board of the Church of the Nazarene, with Weldon Bull as chairman, met this week to settle the date and program for the third annual vacation Bible school.

The school, which provides a vacation-time two-week class in Bible stories, chorus singing, handwork, and general Christian training, will be held in the Sunday-school rooms of the church from Aug. 10 to 21. Mrs. L. E. Sparks, wife of the church's new pastor, will be in charge.

#### PUBLIC LIBRARY ADDS MANY NEW BOOKS

The library has a new supply of mystery thrillers for the avid fan. The crime expert recommends "Traitors' Purse," by Allingham as one of the finest suspense thrillers of the year. "Above Suspicion" by Helen McInnes is a much better than average spy story. There is now an almost complete set of Earle Stanley Gardner's famous cases. The latest are "The Case of the Haunted Husband" and "The Case of the Drowning Duck" and "The Case of the Empty Tin."

The well known Captain North is back again in the Bucharest Ballerina Murders. The new Ellery Queens are well up to standard. "The Tragedy of Y," "Adventures of Ellery Queen" and "New Adventures of Ellery Queen" have been added.

For those who are looking for new authors of this type of fiction the following is an incomplete list of old and new: Eberhart, Austin, Biggars, Carr, Dickson, Farjeon, Gray, Hume, King, Marquand, Marsh, Mason, Wallace, Warren, Van Dine.

For addicts of westerns, there are new books in by White, Foster, Young (of Red Clark fame), Bower, Dawson and Haycox.

There have been a number of new love stories added to the collection, and include novels by such famous authors as Baum, Hill, Norris, Dorn, and Baldwin.

New books, both fiction and non-fiction, dealing with various phases of the war and post-war periods, include: Epic of Dunkirk, Chatterton; Return to the Future, Undset; Mission to Moscow, Davis; Journey for Margaret, White; My Name is Frank, Laskier; Pied Piper, Shute; People Under Hitler, Deuel; London Pride, Bottomley; Falling Through Space, Hillary.

Dragon Seed by Pearl Buck is recommended for those who wish to know the truth about the Japanese war in China. It is perhaps not what might be called "nice" reading, but this is war.

The following will be of interest to a variety of readers: This Chemical Age, Hayes; Fresh Water Fishing, Schumaker; Men and Politics, Fischer; Reading I've Liked, Clifton; Fadiman; Field Guide to Western Birds, Peterson; Aircraft Spotter, Ott; America Speaks, Gibbs; My Remarkable Uncle, Leacock; Soap Behind the Ears, Skinner; Nostalgia, McCann.

Northern Nurse by Merrick will delight anyone interested in the Arctic.

Quest, by Infield, is a study of the problems of a central European university man.

Aztec of Mexico, by Villant, is a scholarly work on the earliest known inhabitants of this continent.

Tyranny of Words, by Stuart Chase, will delight the purist and puzzle those who thought they understood the meanings of words. It should provide the reader with the ability to deflate the arguments of any opponent.

Flight to Arras, by St. Exupéry is a magnificent account by a French aviator, during the last days of Free France.

Boys who eagerly follow the adventures of Dave Dawson will be glad to know that there are now six new books: Dave Dawson at Singapore, Dave Dawson Flight Lieutenant, Dave Dawson Convoy Patrol, Dave Dawson Pacific Fleet, Dave Dawson in Libya and Dave Dawson R.A.F. Children from 6 to 60 will enjoy the tender story of the lovable deer, "Bambi," by Salten.

#### COUNCILLOR ENTITLED TO STIPEND, IS RULING

The town council "shouted down" Councillor Wm. Dixon when he rose to speak on a resolution that he be paid for meetings he missed as a result of his long illness.

It was Mr. Dixon's first appearance at the council board since his illness.

The resolution, sponsored by Deputy Reeve Joseph Vale and Reeve Fred Lundy, was as follows:

"That the clerk-treasurer be instructed to treat Wm. Dixon as present at the meetings he missed as a result of his illness and that he receive his stipend for each of such meetings, inasmuch as he attended to his regular council duties while confined to his home."

"We are unanimous on this," Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales told Mr. Dixon.

Mr. Dixon was not allowed to speak. There was no debate on the resolution.

#### RED SHIELD LADIES ACKNOWLEDGE GIFTS

The Red Shield Auxiliary meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the Salvation Army Citadel. The meeting opened by singing "Fight the Good Fight." Mrs. Cowan led in prayer. Mrs. Pemberton read Psalm 138. Mrs. H. Newton read a report.

The afternoon was spent in quilting and knitting. The group were grateful to Mrs. Brice, Sr., Andrew St., who gave the group the use of a sewing machine, and to Mrs. Watson, Millard Ave.

The group were also grateful to the ladies who helped to make 45 pairs of drapes, for the women's quarters at the military camp. Mrs. L. Burch, Mrs. Chadwick, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. F. Newton, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. H.

#### Avoid waste when you make tea

## "SALADA" TEA

#### Subscribers Appreciate Paid-in-Advance System

The mailing-lists of the Express-Herald and the Newmarket Era have now been combined into a single list, except for Express-Herald subscriptions in arrears or dated prior to Oct. 1, 1942.

The paid-in-advance system followed by the Newmarket Era for some years will be followed with regard to the new combined list. This means that about Sept. 1 or during September notices are sent out of subscriptions that will become due Oct. 1. A second notice will be sent at the time of actual expiration to those who have not paid by that time. Then, if there is no word from a subscriber at all, it will be assumed that he does not wish to renew and the newspaper will be discontinued.

Under this system no one gets in arrears for his newspaper. If a person wishes to drop his subscription for a few months for any reason it is easy to do so.

It is found, that people prefer this system. Subscribers do not wish to get into arrears for their newspaper. On the other hand, they don't seem to mind the alternative of having their newspaper discontinued. Subscribers come into the Era and Express office every week and say: "My paper didn't come this week. I guess it must have run out."

They don't complain. They feel that they have received ample written notice and they appreciate the forcible reminder. They do miss the local newspaper. On the contrary, some of them would be annoyed if the newspaper kept coming when they hadn't paid for it. They would be going into debt without realizing it.

Then there is the other list of Express-Herald subscriptions dated prior to Oct. 1, 1942. It is not a long list. These subscribers are asked to pay any arrears they may owe or to advise the Era and Express office if there is any mistake with regard to their subscriptions.

Most of these subscribers will be paying their subscriptions and joining the paid-in-advance list. Some will perhaps want to discontinue their subscriptions. To do so it is not enough just to refuse to accept the newspaper at the post office. Anyone on this second list who wishes to discontinue his subscription should pay the arrears owing.

#### LOCAL MARKET

Butter brought 38 cents a pound and eggs, 32 to 35 cents a dozen, on the local market on Saturday morning.

Hens brought 25 cents a pound. Potatoes were 35 and 40 cents a six-quart basket, and green apples, 30 cents a six-quart basket. Beans brought 10 cents a quart box, and red currants and gooseberries sold at 15 cents a quart box. Cabbages were 5 cents each.

#### TORONTO MARKETS

Prices on the Toronto markets on Tuesday for butter, creamery solids, No. 1, were 34 cents, and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 36 cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 32½ to 33 cents; A medium, 32 to 32½ cents; A pullets, 29 cents a dozen. Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers 14 to 15 pounds, 21 to 23 cents; 13 to 14 pounds, 24 to 26 cents; fatted hens, five pounds and over, 20 to 22 cents a pound.

Weighty steers sold at \$10.50 to \$10.75; butcher steers, \$9.50 to \$10.05; heifers, \$9.50 to \$10.50; and butcher cows, \$7 to \$8.25. Fed calves were \$10.50 to \$12 with stockers and stock calves at \$8 to \$10.75.

Good ewe and wether lambs sold at \$15 to \$15.25 with culls and bucks at \$13 to \$14.25.

Hogs sold at \$8 dressed weight and sows at \$12.25 to \$12.50.

#### MODEST

Judge: "What is your age, madam?" Fair Witness: "Twenty-two years and some months." Judge: "Just how many months?" Fair Witness: "A hundred and twenty."

Newton, Mrs. McKewon and Mrs. Fern.

The Home and School Association have donated layettes and garments to the Red Shield. Appreciation was expressed to Mrs. Melvin Wright, of the Dorcas Society, Maple Hill Baptist church, Queensville, for a baby's layette.

The meeting closed by singing God Save the King, and the Bishop's benediction.

## Advertisers— Our circulation is your Audience



If you were going to buy the privilege of talking to a theatre audience about your business you would want to know all about the audience. How many people? Where do they live? How much did they pay to get in? The answers to these questions would have a bearing on the value of the audience to your business.

THESE are the things you want to know about the people who read your advertising too. In the circulation of this newspaper we offer you an interested audience of people who can use your merchandise and service.

Just as a merchant buys and sells merchandise on the basis of known standards of quality, weight and measure, so are we prepared to tell advertisers all about our circulation.

That's why we belong to the Audit Bureau of Circulations—to give our advertisers a verified count and description of the audience that they get when they buy advertising in this paper. There are definite standards for advertising values as well as for merchandise. We believe that newspaper advertising should be bought and sold on the basis of these standards.

The Audit Bureau of Circulations is a national, cooperative association of 2000 publishers, advertisers and advertising agencies. The Bureau has a staff of skilled auditors and once a year these men visit all publisher members and make a careful audit of their circulation records. The information from these audits is then issued in reports which are available to advertisers.

Only through these A.B.C. reports can you get verified facts and figures about the audience that you will talk to when you buy advertising space. They are your assurance that you will get what you pay for because they describe and analyze net paid circulation—how large it is, where it is, how it was secured. Protect your advertising investment by using these A.B.C. reports.

## The Newmarket Era and Express



This newspaper is a member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations. On request we shall gladly furnish a copy of our latest A. B. C. report.

(Press run is over 2,700. Net paid circulation, when average for a full six months is available—Oct. 1, 1942, to March 31, 1943—will probably reach 2,000.)

**WRONG DIAGNOSIS**  
Doctor (to his daughter): "Did you tell the young man that I think he's no good?"  
Daughter: "Yes, dad, but that didn't faze him. He said it wasn't the first wrong diagnosis you made."

#### FLIES CAUSE INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Investigations by medical scientists indicate that fly-infected foods are one of the principal causes of Infantile Paralysis (Poliomyelitis). Every fly allowed to live is a potential menace to human health.

#### KILL THEM ALL WITH WILSON'S FLY PADS

QUICKLY, CLEANLY, HUMANELY  
10c PER PACKAGE OF 3 PADS  
At All Grocery, Drug, Hardware & General Stores

**MEN'S SUITS  
TOPCOATS  
LADIES' PLAIN DRESSES  
BEAUTIFULLY CLEANED**

**75c**

**HAVE THOSE  
WINTER CLOTHES  
CLEANED**

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

As wire garment hangers are unobtainable we would appreciate it if our customers would return any spare hangers to the driver.

Thanking you for your co-operation.

## CAPITAL

CLEANERS & DYERS

For Better Cleaning Service

Phone 680

Newmarket, Ont.

#### Now! Ful-O-Pep VITAMINIZED

Dry and Fitting Ration!

with a Vitamin Boost to condition help and dry skin



HERE'S a vitamin-rich feed, palatable and bulky, to help develop strong, breedable heifers capable of heavy milk production.



Authorized Quaker Feed Dealers

A. E. STARR

PHONE 129 NEWMARKET

FRED PEEL

PHONE 974 KESWICK



CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

My Answers Are

|    |     |
|----|-----|
| 1. | 6.  |
| 2. | 7.  |
| 3. | 8.  |
| 4. | 9.  |
| 5. | 10. |

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Navy Coders Solve Much More Difficult Problems Than This, And They Don't Get Theatre Passes

There were 46 correct answers sent in to last week's scrambled word contest. A few other answers submitted were incorrect and were not included in the draw.

Mrs. Seneca Cook at Chandler's ladies' wear store, drew the answers of Mrs. G. Chant, Mrs. Lane, Newmarket, Miss May Howlett, R. R. 3, Newmarket, Mrs. T. Watson, 11 Ontario St., Newmarket, Mrs. A. Elphinstone, 7 D'Arcy St., Newmarket, and Mrs. Squires, North Main St., Newmarket. These five winners may pick up their double passes any evening at the Strand theatre and have their choice of seeing Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn in "Woman of the Year" and "Hay Fever" with William Tracy and James Gleason on Tuesday, July 28, or "Yank on the Burma Road" with Laraine Day and Barry Nelson, and "International Lady" with George Brent, Ilona Massey and Basil Rathbone on Friday, July 31 (not Thursday, please note).

**This Week's Contest**

This week's contest winners will receive double passes for the Strand for either Tuesday, Aug. 4, when the "How Green Was My Valley" boy star, Roddy McDowall, and Jane Darwell will appear in "On the Sunny Side,"

WANTED-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. 25c extra if not paid within week of first insertion, 10c extra for use of box number.

**REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**

For sale—Eight-roomed house with bath and three-wire service. Spacious lawns and gardens, large greenhouse and barn, creek through property. Apply 31 Gorham St. \*3w24

**E. A. BOYD**  
17 Main St.  
**REAL ESTATE**—For sale: Farms, Houses, Acreages, Lots, Insurance—Automobile, Fire and Casualty.

**FOR RENT**

For rent—Cottage by month or week. Four bedrooms, fireplace in living room, large screened-in veranda. Electric range and wood stove. Pine beach. Apply Dr. J. C. R. Edwards, Newmarket, phone 31. \*c2w21

For rent—Unfurnished room. Enquire 23 Simcoe St. W. \*1w21

For rent—3-roomed heated apartment on south Main St. Apply to Matthews, Silver, Lyons and Vale, 100 Main St., Newmarket, or phone 126. \*121

**WANTED TO RENT**

Wanted to rent—Renting at present a beautiful five-roomed bungalow in East Toronto, reasonable rate. Desiring a six or seven-roomed house in Newmarket by Sept. 1. Reply immediately to Ralph Rumball, Hargraves 3653. \*1w25

Wanted to rent—Farm, 50 to 75 acres working land. Sutton, Mount Albert district. Apply Frank Grey, R. R. 1, Pefferlaw. \*c2w25

Wanted to rent—Three or four roomed house. Conveniences. In or near Newmarket. Write P.O. box 196. \*1w25

**FOR SALE**

For sale—Butter beans and head cabbage. Enquire E. F. Streeter, first house south of Pickering college, or phone 238. \*c2w25

For sale—Trunks. Various sizes. Apply Era and Express box 584. \*1w25

For sale—One McClary Sunshine lamp furnace. 22" floorpot. Enquire Smith's Hardware. \*c1w25

For sale—One Gourley piano, in excellent condition. Apply 9 Grace St., or phone 220. \*c1w25

**Bargain sale—At Brunton's**  
Women's dresses, \$1.39 to \$3.50; ladies' slacks and chiffon silk hose, 25c to 95c; girls' socks, 15c, 10c, 5c; princess slaps, 75c. \*1w25

For sale—Madonna Lily bulbs. At a very low price. Enquire 1, P. Ome, Newmarket. \*2w25

HAMILTON—THORNTON

The marriage is announced of Kathleen Loraine Thornton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thornton of Lindsay, on Saturday, July 18, to William Robson Hamilton, son of Mrs. O. P. Hamilton of Newmarket and the late Mr. Hamilton. The marriage took place in Lindsay.

In Memoriam

Rose—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Sophia Rose, who passed away July 24, 1941. Her life was one sacrifice. Her heart was true and tender; She toiled so hard for those she loved. Then left us to remember.

Sadly missed by husband and family.

Sanderson—In sad but loving memory of our dear dad, who passed away three years ago today, July 22, 1939.

I seem to see in the soft, dim light  
A face I loved the best.  
And think of him when the sun's  
Last ray  
Goes down in the far-off west.  
I miss you no less as the time  
Passes on  
Than I did on the day of your  
going.  
For absence can never close the  
door of my heart  
And the lamp of my love is still  
glowing.  
Your heart was the truest in all  
the world.  
Your love the best to recall;  
For no one on earth could take  
your place  
You are still the dearest of all.

Lovingly remembered by your  
daughter, Mina, son-in-law, Larry,  
and grandchildren, Gordon, Wilda  
and Eleanor.

Sanderson—In loving memory of  
our dear father, who passed away  
three years ago today.

I think of him in silence,  
His name I oft recall,  
There is nothing left to answer  
But his picture on the wall.

Sadly missed by daughter,  
Martha, and son-in-law, Jim, and  
grandchildren, Dorothy and George.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pipher and  
family wish to thank their friends  
and neighbors for their many acts  
of kindness, expressions of sym-  
pathy and condolence, during their  
sad bereavement in the loss of a  
dear son and brother.

WANTED TO BUY

Wanted to buy—Used cameras,  
regardless of condition. Box  
cameras, folding cameras. Dig out  
that old camera. It may be worth  
something. Budd Studio, 75 Main  
St., phone 431.

FARM ITEMS

For sale—Fresh young cow and  
calf. Massey-Harris used binder  
repairs. Joe English, Queensville.  
\*1w25

For sale—Massey-Harris No. 5B  
binder, 9 ft. like new. Massey-  
Harris No. 5 binder, 7 ft. Massey-  
Harris No. 5 binder, 6 ft. Massey-  
Harris No. 4 binder, 7 ft. All in  
good condition. One six-year-old  
gelding. Also have in stock one  
new tractor and plough on rubber.  
W. Allison, Massey-Harris  
dealer, Mount Albert. \*c1w25

Wanted to buy—Live poultry of  
all kinds. Hens, also young  
roosters, three pounds and over.  
Top prices paid. Write I. Hasky,  
689 Shaw St., Toronto, or phone  
Lombard 5415. \*1w25

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle,  
for free pick-up. Phone Newmar-  
ket 79. We pay phone charges.  
Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto.  
Phone AD. 2638. \*c2w51

Help wanted—Country girl, 25-  
35, for general housework and  
plain cooking. Private home short  
distance north of Toronto.  
Modern. Highest wages. Write  
Era and Express box 583. \*c1w25

Help wanted—Capable girl or  
woman. Apply Mrs. A. Armstrong,  
Kings George hotel, Newmarket.  
\*c1w25

Help wanted—Reliable girl or  
woman for light housework three  
or four afternoons and to play  
with two children one or two even-  
ings a week. Write Era and  
Express box 588. \*1w25

Help wanted—Reliable girl for  
general housework. Family of  
four. Small home. Good wages.  
Write Era and Express box 587.  
\*1w25

Help wanted—Woman or reliable  
girl wanted in family of two boys,  
4 and 7 years. Mother working.  
Write Era and Express box 581.  
\*2w21

HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Country girl, 25-  
35, for general housework and  
plain cooking. Private home short  
distance north of Toronto.  
Modern. Highest wages. Write  
Era and Express box 583. \*c1w25

Help wanted—Capable girl or  
woman. Apply Mrs. A. Armstrong,  
Kings George hotel, Newmarket.  
\*c1w25

Help wanted—Reliable girl or  
woman for light housework three  
or four afternoons and to play  
with two children one or two even-  
ings a week. Write Era and  
Express box 588. \*1w25

Help wanted—Reliable girl for  
general housework. Family of  
four. Small home. Good wages.  
Write Era and Express box 587.  
\*1w25

Help wanted—Woman or reliable  
girl wanted in family of two boys,  
4 and 7 years. Mother working.  
Write Era and Express box 581.  
\*2w21

LOST

Lost—A roll of bills Tuesday  
night or Wednesday morning in  
Newmarket or Aurora. Apply Era  
and Express box 585. \*1w25

DOG OWNERS

Have your dogs expertly clipped,  
washed or striped. Boarding  
by day, week or month.

RASIL WATSON  
Gorham St., Newmarket.  
Valdese Kennels.  
Phone 672. \*c1w19

CHURCHES

CONGREGATIONAL-CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Pastor—REV. ARTHUR GREER  
Sunday, July 28  
FAREWELL SERVICES AT  
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
Trinity United church congrega-  
tion will worship with us.

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE

12 Millard Ave.  
Just west of Main St.  
Pastor—REV. L. R. COUPLAND  
Sunday, July 26

10 a.m.—Sunday-school.  
11 a.m.—Morning worship. "THIS  
SAME JESUS."  
7 p.m.—Gospel service. "BE STILL  
AND KNOW."  
Pastor will preach at both ser-  
vices. Special music. Good sing-  
ing. Inspiring messages. Every-  
one welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Pastor—REV. J. A. KOFFEND  
Friday, 8:00 p.m.—Preparatory  
service.

Sunday, July 26  
10 a.m.—Sunday-school.  
11 a.m.—SACRAMENT.  
7 p.m.—"EVACUATION."  
(Note: No evening services during  
August.)

GOSPEL TENT MEETINGS

In Oak Ridges schoolyard on  
Yonge St.  
Services every night  
From July 26 to Aug. 9  
commencing at 7:45 p.m.  
Sunday-school and church in the  
tent at 2 p.m.

REV. JOEL E. CARLSON, Har-  
risburg, Pa., will deliver the mes-  
sage. Evangelist special singing  
by Henderson trio and others.  
EVERYBODY WELCOME.

BIRTHS

Brown—At York county hospital,  
July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie  
Brown, Newmarket, a son.  
Hartling—At York county hospi-  
tal, July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Darvin  
Hartling, Newmarket, a son.  
Jefferson—At York county hospi-  
tal, July 19, to Mr. and Mrs.  
Samuel Jefferson, Bradford, a son.  
Lake—At the Women's College  
hospital, Toronto, July 21, to Rev.  
and Mrs. Lewis James Lake (nee  
Margery Howe), a son.  
Perry—At York county hospital,  
July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur  
Perry, Holt, a daughter.  
Ross—At the Oshawa General  
hospital, Oshawa, July 8, to Mr.  
and Mrs. Frank Ross, of Columbus  
(nee Annie Fogal of Newmarket),  
a son.

DEATHS

Cadden—On Tuesday, July 21,  
Elizabeth Riddell, wife of Andrew  
D. Cadden, and mother of Robert  
A. (Bert) Cadden, of King.  
The funeral service was held in  
Toronto this afternoon, Interment  
King City cemetery, King.  
Caster—Suddenly, at her resi-  
dence, 16 Crofton Park Rd., on  
Thursday, July 16, Pearl N. Caster,  
wife of the late Thomas Todd  
Caster and mother of Frederick,  
Maurice, Gerald and Thomas.  
The funeral service was held  
from her late residence on Satur-  
day afternoon, Interment Aurora  
cemetery.  
Davis—Suddenly at Amos, Que.,  
July 16, Richard Ramsay Davis,  
beloved son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Aubrey J. Davis, age 18 months.  
Interment Newmarket cemetery  
Saturday, July 18.  
Leahy—Suddenly, at Peterboro,  
on Saturday, July 18, John H.  
Leahy, brother of Rev. T. Marcellus  
Leahy, of De la Salle college, Aurora,  
and Genevieve Leahy.  
The funeral was held at Peter-  
boro on Monday, July 20.  
Moody—At Peel Memorial Hospi-  
tal, Brampton, on Saturday, July  
18, 1942, Frederick Martin Moody,  
late of Milton, husband of Maude  
Arvilla Moody and father of Mrs.  
W. Williams of Brampton, Gordon  
and Raymond of Toronto, in his  
58th year.  
The funeral service was held in  
Weston on Monday afternoon.

E. STRASLER & SON

QUEENSVILLE  
FUNERAL DIRECTORS  
AND  
AMBULANCE SERVICE  
PHONES—2549—2552

PERRIN'S Flower Shop

Member Florists Telegraph  
Delivery Association  
Flowers wired to all parts of the  
World  
Flowers for every occasion  
Funeral Flowers  
A SPECIALTY

118 Main St. Newmarket  
Phone 115W

Roadhouse & Rose

Funeral Directors  
Main St. Newmarket  
Phone 70.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

PHONE 780

—Mrs. Wm. Sutton and three  
children of Timmins are visiting  
Mrs. Sutton's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. G. W. Curtis.

—Miss Mary Epworth is  
spending a week's vacation in  
Toronto with Mr. and Mrs.  
George Epworth.

—Miss June Goodwin of Tor-  
onto is visiting Miss Joan Cribar  
this week.

—Donald Cribar is visiting Mr.  
and Mrs. Robt. Moore, Aurora, a  
few days this week and is at-  
tending the Lions' carnival in  
Toronto. He will remain in Tor-  
onto for the balance of the week.

—Mrs. J. E. B. Wilson, Miss  
Sadie Wilson and Mr. and Mrs.  
Thos. Leach attended the fun-  
eral of their cousin, Mr. H.  
Leach, in Toronto, yesterday.

—Miss Moss Doane of Toronto  
is spending a week's holidays  
with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Walsh,  
and Mr. Walsh.

—Miss Bertha Neilly and Miss  
L. Toole have returned home  
after spending the past two  
weeks at Muskoka Lakes.

—Mrs. Wm. Young and Miss  
Doris Young and Mrs. A. Baines  
of Toronto returned to their  
homes after spending the past  
three weeks at Lake Waseosa,  
Lake-of-the-Bays district.

—Mr. Barrie Helmer of Medi-  
cine Hat, Alta., is spending a  
month's vacation with his cousin,  
Mrs. C. R. Near, and Mr. Near.  
Major and Mrs. H. A. Lack-  
ner and two young sons of  
Kitchener spent Monday with  
Mrs. Lackner's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. F. Chantler.

—Miss Bette Wright and Miss  
Doreen Shropshire are spend-  
ing two weeks in Sutton visiting  
Miss Wright's cousin, Mrs.  
Howard Lawton.

—Miss Edwina Allin of Gode-  
rich is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. F.  
Johns for a couple of weeks.

—Mrs. James Spear and son,  
Mr. Jack Spear, of Niagara Falls,  
spent a few days last week visit-  
ing Mr. and Mrs. James Hiller.  
Mrs. Spear was the former Alice  
Codlin of Newmarket.

—Miss Grace Gee is spending  
two weeks vacation in Midland.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Gloden Vale of Horne-  
payne is visiting her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vale.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunning-  
ham have returned home from a  
week's trip to Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert  
Graham, Mr. Graham's sisters,  
Misses Alma and Adella  
Graham of Mount Albert spent a  
pleasant time at Mr. Ross How-  
lett's cottage, "Whip-Poor-Will,"  
at Thunder Bay last week.

—Miss Jean Howlett spent two  
weeks holidays with Miss Jeanne  
Robertson at Crescent Beach,  
Lake Simcoe.

—Mr. G. G. Soules, Toronto,  
and Mr. Fleming Young, New-  
market, were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Norman Crone, Walnut  
Farm, Sharon, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Whelan  
of Sault Ste. Marie were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White on  
Wednesday evening. Mr. Whelan  
is president of the "Soo" Lions  
club.

—Miss Audrey Lundy is  
spending a week's vacation at  
Frenchman's Bay, Lake Ontario,  
with friends.

—Among out-of-town guests at  
the Boag-Johns wedding on  
Wednesday of last week were  
Mrs. A. Allin, Goderich, Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Seeley and Mrs. R. Law-  
son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Rus-  
sell Corner, Cannington, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. D. McPhedran and fam-  
ily and Mr. George Pearen, Mrs.  
E. Lorree and Mr. and Mrs. E.  
Pearen and family, all of Rock-  
wood.

—Mrs. M. Tensdale and daugh-  
ter, Miss Marjorie Muir Tensdale,  
of Weston, are visiting in New-  
market.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton  
and little son, Russell, of Oak-  
wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. N.  
Smith and family of Toronto  
spent Saturday with Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Morton.

—Miss Mabel Morton, R.N., of  
Toronto, returned to her home  
after spending the past two







## DOWN THE CENTRE

Herbie Cain, Newmarket member of the Boston Bruins, is the current leader of the sluggers in the Newmarket town baseball loop. Herbie, who was always a potent wielder of a "Louisville slugger," is pouncing the ball at a neat 318. He has banged out three four-base clouts and affixed has few if any superiors among all the outer gardeners.

At Wynnsky of the Camp team, who hails from the Soo, is close behind Herbie in batting and all-around effectiveness too. The two are the sparkplugs of the Davis Leather and Camp teams respectively.

Enlistments and army calls continue to take their toll. Fred Lusted is now at Brampton camp. Harvey Gibney, the Sutton pucker, who plays shortstop for the Specialty, is trying for either the navy or air force, while Jack Wright is now a member of York market Camp's bugle band.

Cliff Gunn, former Newmarket hockeyist, is moving up fast in the batting race and in recent games has belted out two mammoth homers at Pantry Park.

Harry Peppatt, who makes his debut with Office Specialty this week, just turned 17. He is the youngest player in the league. Last year he played for the Town club.

The umpires, "Dutch" Forhan and "Rudy" Ruddock, while taking a bit of panning from the armchair critics, are anything but "blind mice," the big league term for arbiters. Ruddock especially, taking into consideration his experience, is doing a swell job.

Next Saturday the Camp softballers are playing a five-inning opener in the gala B.W.V. softball tournament at Maple Leaf stadium. They will clash with an R.C.A.F. team that has among others on their lineup Bill Hamcock's boys were injured. Hamcock has joined the dental corps and is now on active service. We well recall Marshall and Ogilvie, two gamblers, appearing in the "circular" games against Montreal Royals and Regina Pats and checking as they were ordered, the junior stars pitted against them. Both boys were left on only long enough to give the regulars a breathing spell but they were two of the unsung heroes of that epic season.

Vic Lane, the big Aurora lad who joined the 50th battery and was then shifted to the camp bugle band at Simcoe, has made his appearance in centrefield for the Simcoe military team and is going good too. Their chief rivals are the R.C.A.F. boys from Hagersville, Jarvis and Dunnville.

Wes Perry, who last year pitched for the aircraft team at Collingwood and shared duties with Johnny Eccles, who is a hurler of note, is now located in Aurora and

is keen to get into action in the Aurora softball team. The Queen's Yorks won his services in a draw but are likely to relinquish his services to one of the factory teams, who both feeling the effects of military calls.

Lyall Sparks, veteran Aurora softball player, has been signed by the factory and has volunteered for active service. One of the greatest combinations in turf history will be broken up. Ten to Ace, despite his defeat at Winnipeg, still regarded by most as the greatest of Canadian-bred horses, since he was old enough to carry a rider has known no one on his back except Smith and an occasional exercise boy. There was an intimacy between them that only the owner of an animal pet can appreciate. In 12 starts the Ace won ten, including the King's Plate, Cup and Saucer and other important events. Sick from fever, the gelding's colic had him at Winnipeg in the big upset of the season. Back in the east, the extent of the fever may be judged by the fact that he won't start until Thorndike opens late in September.

When he sports the Giddings colors again, his pal "C.W." will be an absentee and the hundreds of followers the Ace is still a wonder horse. It will be an interesting experiment to look forward to and we know that no matter who may be chosen to succeed Smith, Charlie will be the first to cry "Come on Ace." The odds will mount for a change when next the Ace runs.

Magnot Line, the horse that won the western classic, almost was given up as a lost job by its Vancouver owner, according to one of our western correspondents. Last winter he campaigned at Agua Caliente and when the season was over and he was bound home expenses exceeded returns by \$375. The owner could not send funds across the line to pay them and completed selling him. However, the president of the Western Turf Association happened to be in the States with American funds and paid the shot. The horse has won nearly \$7,000 this summer and will be good for a lot more. Chance decides a good many things in the world of sport as in daily life.

Ken Brown, back from Megantic and his army course, is due to receive his third stripe shortly. Meanwhile he obtained five days leave and on Saturday last tied it to the altar with Norine McTaggart of Nobleton. Ken is a former Aurora high athlete and played hockey with Aurora, King and Schomberg.

Jack Elder, former Aurora softball player, whom we mentioned as being with the ordnance corps at Kingston, is a commissioned officer and Mr. Elder's brother, who has joined the dental corps and is now on active service. We well recall Marshall and Ogilvie, two gamblers, appearing in the "circular" games against Montreal Royals and Regina Pats and checking as they were ordered, the junior stars pitted against them. Both boys were left on only long enough to give the regulars a breathing spell but they were two of the unsung heroes of that epic season.

Vic Lane, the big Aurora lad who joined the 50th battery and was then shifted to the camp bugle band at Simcoe, has made his appearance in centrefield for the Simcoe military team and is going good too. Their chief rivals are the R.C.A.F. boys from Hagersville, Jarvis and Dunnville.

Wes Perry, who last year pitched for the aircraft team at Collingwood and shared duties with Johnny Eccles, who is a hurler of note, is now located in Aurora and

is keen to get into action in the Aurora softball team. The Queen's Yorks won his services in a draw but are likely to relinquish his services to one of the factory teams, who both feeling the effects of military calls.

Lyall Sparks, veteran Aurora softball player, has been signed by the factory and has volunteered for active service. One of the greatest combinations in turf history will be broken up. Ten to Ace, despite his defeat at Winnipeg, still regarded by most as the greatest of Canadian-bred horses, since he was old enough to carry a rider has known no one on his back except Smith and an occasional exercise boy. There was an intimacy between them that only the owner of an animal pet can appreciate. In 12 starts the Ace won ten, including the King's Plate, Cup and Saucer and other important events. Sick from fever, the gelding's colic had him at Winnipeg in the big upset of the season. Back in the east, the extent of the fever may be judged by the fact that he won't start until Thorndike opens late in September.

When he sports the Giddings colors again, his pal "C.W." will be an absentee and the hundreds of followers the Ace is still a wonder horse. It will be an interesting experiment to look forward to and we know that no matter who may be chosen to succeed Smith, Charlie will be the first to cry "Come on Ace." The odds will mount for a change when next the Ace runs.

Magnot Line, the horse that won the western classic, almost was given up as a lost job by its Vancouver owner, according to one of our western correspondents. Last winter he campaigned at Agua Caliente and when the season was over and he was bound home expenses exceeded returns by \$375. The owner could not send funds across the line to pay them and completed selling him. However, the president of the Western Turf Association happened to be in the States with American funds and paid the shot. The horse has won nearly \$7,000 this summer and will be good for a lot more. Chance decides a good many things in the world of sport as in daily life.

Ken Brown, back from Megantic and his army course, is due to receive his third stripe shortly. Meanwhile he obtained five days leave and on Saturday last tied it to the altar with Norine McTaggart of Nobleton. Ken is a former Aurora high athlete and played hockey with Aurora, King and Schomberg.

Jack Elder, former Aurora softball player, whom we mentioned as being with the ordnance corps at Kingston, is a commissioned officer and Mr. Elder's brother, who has joined the dental corps and is now on active service. We well recall Marshall and Ogilvie, two gamblers, appearing in the "circular" games against Montreal Royals and Regina Pats and checking as they were ordered, the junior stars pitted against them. Both boys were left on only long enough to give the regulars a breathing spell but they were two of the unsung heroes of that epic season.

Vic Lane, the big Aurora lad who joined the 50th battery and was then shifted to the camp bugle band at Simcoe, has made his appearance in centrefield for the Simcoe military team and is going good too. Their chief rivals are the R.C.A.F. boys from Hagersville, Jarvis and Dunnville.

Wes Perry, who last year pitched for the aircraft team at Collingwood and shared duties with Johnny Eccles, who is a hurler of note, is now located in Aurora and

were farm and resident boys of the Lake and regular annual visitors who made up a team, and among the usual crowd ten or more are on active service, including Ernie Tunstead, "Doc" Daniels, Everett McNeely, Bill Thomas, Hal Hatfield, Bill Logan, Dick Evans, "Stock" Stringer and Joe Underwood. We've probably missed some too. Underwood will be remembered as a Stouffville hockey player. Older and younger boys have filled their shoes and the fun goes on.

Art Russell, former Markham and Stouffville forward, is another ice artist who is on active service. He is with the R.C.A.F.

Agincourt lead their final softball series with Unionville two games to nothing in a best-of-seven series. The league wisely decided to get things over with while there were still enough players to go around. Markham and Cedar Grove have two smart girls' ball teams who are anxious to take on all-comers on the diamond. There will be a good many centres turn to feminine mushball for athletic amusement before Hitler and Hirohito are vanquished.

Gordon Sloan, one-time first baseman for Richmond Hill handballers in the Tri-County league, now a big-time executive for a soap company, has received a commission with the 2nd Irish battalion. The Irish will be at camp the same time as the Yorks, which will mean, too, that Jack Davidson, youthful catcher for the tannery in the Aurora town league, will also be away. Lieut. John Cook, newly appointed officer to the 2nd battalion of the Yorks, has been appointed as sports officer and yours truly will uphold the honors on the board of strategy for C. Coy., who once again should be able to win softball honors at Niagara camp. The Yorks will have a youth accent but they will be fast in the field and will be fighting for the town league finals when they come back from camp.

The navy is certainly proving to be quite an attraction for the lads who receive their call or are about to. For instance this week, Wyatt ("Nibs") Sagle, Aurora town league catcher, Wesley ("Ninny") Heaney, veteran all-around Aurora and Newmarket package of day-mil at softball, hockey and lacrosse, Mervyn Broughton, Aurora, and Newmarket junior pucker, just out of the junior series, and Clarence St. John, erstwhile rider for the Aurora Cycling club, are among those who are angling for a spot with the tars. Some of them will make it, some will not, but it indicates the trend of things because a few months back there were very few lads from these parts who contemplated serving on the briny. Jack Dales, Frank Bailey, Bill Wilson, Bob Benville and Mickey Smith have set an example to their sporting confreres, which is catching. If all of them pass their physical tests and get a dent to the athletic crop.

Tommy Rank, present president of the Aurora town league, goes on service this week with the overseas firefighting unit being formed in Canada to serve in England. The boys receive the same pay as in the army and the work is just as dangerous as many of the fighting services. While not an athlete himself, he acted as secretary-treasurer for the Aurora entry in the York-Simcoe league and was well regarded by all the boys. A member of the Aurora fire brigade he was given a send-off, along with Eddie Dalley, by Harry Jones, Stewart Patterson and all the lads. His predecessor in office, Charlie Dawson, is on active service with the artillery.

Cycling has taken on a new lease of life everywhere. We do not mean bike racing but just plain bike riding. A few years back Jack Offord had trouble finding enough boys to form a cycling club, now every other kid in town seems to be riding a bike. Business men and factory workers are riding to and from work on bikes. The new to many, cycling is probably the oldest mechanical method of transportation devised by man. The first bicycle was invented by a Frenchman in Paris in 1690, a contraption on two wooden wheels and propelled by the feet. In 1785 another bicycle was devised in France by an unknown but it wasn't considered safe and in 1789 the tricycle was introduced. In 1818 came the penny, half-penny bike with a large wheel in front and a small one behind. We recall seeing these in the movies.

In 1885 the bicycle in its present form was brought out by an Englishman. The present wheels are geared now to average a little over 25 miles an hour by an ordinary rider on good roads. Motor cycles have gone as fast as 90 miles an hour and we have seen cyclists travelling for miles behind a truck, although it is a foolish trick. In 1884 one Thomas Stevens, an Englishman, started a ride around the world on one of his high-wheelers and made it in 112 days. Two years later an endurance record for 24 hours on the same type of wheel set up a mark of 200 miles. These were the predecessors of the six-day bike riders who go a few thousand miles in a week (according to the press agents, anyway). We have always wondered how they ever kitted the number of laps and if the boys really ride all through the night when the customers are shooed out. We have our ideas about both and think it's mostly baloney, although they do ride many miles and take some real spills.

Like the bike can be a real friend and good servant, can be useful for pleasure and work, but handled badly can create a great deal of damage. It is well for those riding to remember your bicycle is subject to the same general traffic rules as an automobile. A little care and respect for others is the first essential of a bike rider and parents who buy wheels for kids would do well to teach them a bit about the rules of the road.

Aurora and Newmarket police could do a lot for safety measures by having an instructional class on the finer points for the youngsters. A bicycle is not a plaything now but an important means of transportation. Trouble is most people consider their wheels as toys. We envy those with wheels,

## QUEEN'S YORK RANGERS ORGANIZE BUGLE BAND



Though organized but a few short weeks, the bugle band of the Queen's York Rangers active battalion is functioning smoothly under the leadership of Cpl. F. Sim of St. Catharines. A regimental brass band is in the offing. Photo by the St. Catharines Standard.

## SNOWBALL

Mrs. Hall of Toronto is spending a few weeks with her son, Mr. Leonard Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Dillane of Oak Ridges spent last Sunday, with Miss Hazel Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown, Newmarket, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMorris last Friday evening.

Mrs. Rose Ferguson of Aurora spent last Monday with her granddaughter, Mrs. Owen Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haines attended the funeral of the late Mr. Chesley Pickering, Zephyr, last Saturday afternoon.

## Pleasantville

Guests for Wednesday night tea at the home of Mrs. G. McClure were her sister, Mrs. A. Richardson, and a friend, Mrs. Fred Avis, Petchville.

Pte. and Mrs. Raymond Needler of Chatham spent the weekend at the Needler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Caulfield of Aurora spent part of Sunday at the two Ridley homes.

Mrs. G. McClure and Mr. Murray McClure had Sunday night tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Madill, Petchville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ridley visited for a few days with Mrs. Ridley's sister, Mrs. Pickles, and Mr. Pickles, at Brighton.

A large gathering of friends and relatives attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Jack Wright of Ballantrae on Monday afternoon at Pine Orchard Union church. Interment was made in Pine Orchard cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cope and baby left on Thursday morning for Columbiana, Ohio, after a two weeks visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Toole and family had Sunday night tea at the home of Mr. Chas. Toole.

Mr. Allan Forbes of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Chas. Toole. Mrs. Forbes returned home with him after spending a few holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toole.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Quarry of Guelph spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Evans. Master Ronald Reilly returned with them to Guelph for a couple of weeks holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred German of Aylmer are vacationing with Mrs. German's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Milligan.

Miss Dorothy Van Vleet is the guest this week of Miss Dorothy Sheppard.

Mrs. A. Hunt and children of Toronto spent last week with Mrs. Geo. Shields and Ross. Mr. Hunt came up with Mr. Shields for the weekend.

Mrs. Wally McKenzie and daughter of Lansing are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Morning and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peters and son of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kitching last week.

Mr. Alan Fawcett received his call into the army last week. He and Mrs. Fawcett have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fawcett.

Misses Jean and Alma Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and daughter and Mr. Geo. Stephenson of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephenson.

The women of the village meet each Tuesday afternoon in the council chambers for Red Cross work.

Last week the items taken to Sharon for shipment were: five pairs of socks, three turtle-neck sweaters, one man's v-neck sweater, one small hat and gloves, one child's sweater and socks, three large quilts, two small quilts, three girls' dresses and panties.

Congratulations are extended to Elizabeth Morning, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Morning, who passed her Grade VII examinations with honors. Elizabeth has passed with honors every year she has been at public school.

## AUTHORIZE TREASURER TO SETTLE ACCOUNTS

"That hereafter the treasurer shall have authority to pay any town accounts, upon same being approved by the chairman of the committee charged with the expenditure but in such cases, he shall present the account for confirmation at the next regular council meeting."

The town council passed this resolution at a meeting Monday evening.

Accounts approved by the council for payment included: Edward Bate, \$15.50; C. N. Telegraphs, 75c; Mrs. J. O'Brien, \$3; Mrs. Mary Greenwood, \$36; Cousins Dairies, \$2.75; W. G. Curtis, \$24.50; J. E. Sloss, \$20.07; Macnab Hardware, \$1; Geer & Byers, \$15.75; Elman W. Campbell, \$1.25; Morrison's Men's Wear, \$84; Newmarket Era & Express, 75c; Herald Printers, \$7.56; Newmarket Farmers' Co-operative, \$7.95; Ferguson Taylor, \$3.70; Bill White, \$13.30; Newmarket Era & Express, \$2.10; R. L. Chadwick, \$8; Newmarket Era, \$7.56; Filley & Gordon, \$30.80; Office Specialty Mfg. Co. Limited, \$4.35; \$68; Hydro-Electric Power Comm. of Ontario, \$3,746.94; C. N. R., \$6.06; \$7.41, 50c; E. H. Redditt, \$12; Mrs. Edna Paynter, \$28; C. N. R., \$1.15;

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

Bill White, \$1; Marwood Motors, \$9.80; R. G. Lewis, \$24; Filley & Gordon, \$30.45; Smith's Hardware, \$31.58; \$51.16; Bell Telephone Co., \$36.25; Pay Sheet No. 1, \$457.15; N. L. Mathews, \$10; Jos. Vale, \$4.20.

## MRS. JOHN WRIGHT, BALLANTRAE, DIES

Born in Ballantrae, Mrs. John Wright died on Saturday in York County hospital, after an illness of two months, in her 58th year. Ada McClellan was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McClellan. She married John Wright 30 years ago and continued to reside in Ballantrae where they farmed. She was a member of the Christian church.

She is survived by her husband, John Wright, one son, Donald, Newmarket, a daughter, Lillian, Toronto, two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Hinton, Hunksville, and Mrs. Marjorie Milton, Toronto, and one brother Kenneth, McClellan, in British Columbia.

The funeral service was held in Pine Orchard church cemetery, in Pine Orchard cemetery, on Sunday at 11 o'clock. The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The pallbearers were Chas. Wright, H. Clegg, W. Pruston, J. Turney, W. Yake, and P. Wright.

The



## BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL

## LEGAL

**MATHEWS, STIVER  
LYONS & VALE**  
Barristers, Solicitors,  
Notaries  
N. L. MATHEWS, K.C.  
K. M. R. STIVER, B.A.  
(On Active Service)  
B. E. LYONS, B.A.  
JOSEPH VALE  
NEWMARKET OFFICES  
140 Main St. Phone 124  
8 Botsford St.  
Phone 124

**ARLEIGH ARMSTRONG**  
Barrister, Solicitor and  
Notary Public, Etc.  
ARMSTRONG BLOCK  
Phone 385

**A. M. MILLS**  
Barrister, Solicitor and  
Notary Public  
51 MAIN ST.  
Newmarket Phone 461

**VIOLET ROBINSON-  
MACNAUGHTON**  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
Conveyancing - Insurance  
Loans - Investments  
1 Botsford St. Phone 339  
Newmarket

**Downey - MacDonald**  
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS  
and NOTARIES  
Aurora Office:  
G. CAMERON MACDONALD  
Office: Above DAN'S CAFE  
Phone 338-W  
Residence: Phone 338-J  
Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Wednesdays: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**FLOYD E. CORNER**  
Barrister - Solicitor  
Notary Public  
3368 YONGE ST., TORONTO  
PHONE HU. 1147

## DENTAL

**DR. R. L. HEWITT**  
DENTIST  
McCauley Block, Opposite Post  
Office, Evening by Appointment.  
Phone 288-W

**DR. W. O. NOBLE**  
DENTIST  
(Dr. G. A. C. Guntion in charge  
for the duration.)  
Over IMPERIAL BANK  
Office Phone ..... 47-W  
Evenings by Appointment

**DR. G. A. C. GUNTION**  
DENTAL SURGEON  
Office Phone - Aurora 106  
Residence Phone - Aurora 6  
BRANCH OFFICE  
Mount Albert 4900

**DR. A. W. BOLAND**  
DENTAL SURGEON  
successor to  
DR. R. E. ROBERTSON  
and the late  
DR. E. V. UNDERHILL  
Office phone - Aurora 198  
Residence phone - Aurora 1194

## MEDICAL

**DR. S. J. BOYD, M.B.**  
Graduate in Medicine at Tor-  
onto University; also Licentiate  
of the Royal College of Physi-  
cians and member of the Royal  
College of Surgeons of England.  
Former clinical assistant in  
Moorefield's Eye, Ear, Nose and  
Throat Hospital, London,  
England  
Eyes tested. Glasses supplied  
35 MAIN ST. PHONE 110

**DR. J. H. WESLEY**  
35 MAIN ST. NEWMARKET  
Phone 110  
If no answer call  
Boche's Point 95 ring 13,  
HOURS - 10-12, 4-8

**DR. L. W. DALES**  
Surgeon and Obstetrician  
Coroner for County of York  
Main St. Newmarket  
Phone 199

## MISCELLANEOUS

**FURNACE WORK  
PLUMBING  
EAVETROUGHING  
OUR SPECIALTIES**  
See the Bathroom  
OUTFITS AT THE SHOP  
**R. Osborne & Son**  
THE LEADING TINSMITHS  
IMPERIAL BANK BUILDING

**COAL - COKE  
WOOD  
GENERAL CARTAGE**  
Phone 68  
**GEER & BYERS**  
10 BOTSFORD ST.  
NEWMARKET

**STEWART BEARE  
RADIO SERVICE**  
NEW AND USED RADIOS,  
RADIO PARTS, TUBES,  
BATTERIES, ETC.  
113 Main St. Phone 335

**J. L. R. BELL**  
Insurance  
Agent for  
ACCIDENT, SICKNESS,  
BURGLARY, AUTO,  
FIRE, ETC.  
Bank of Toronto Bldg.  
Phone 358 Newmarket

**H. D. McEACHERN**  
representing  
THE MUTUAL LIFE  
OF CANADA  
also  
AUTOMOBILE - FIRE AND  
CASUALTY INSURANCE  
61 Gorham Street Phone 524  
Newmarket

**F. N. SMITH**  
LICENSED AUCTIONEER  
County of York  
All sales promptly attended  
to at moderate charges.  
PHONE 1873 NEWMARKET

**GORDON PHILLIPS**  
LICENSED AUCTIONEER  
County of York  
Prompt Attention to all Kinds  
of Sales  
AURORA - ONTARIO  
Phone 363

**A. STOFFER**  
19 Haglan St.  
Teacher of Piano, singing and  
violin  
Dealer in New and Used Pianos  
Pianos Rented - Pianos Tuned

**NORMAN STILL**  
Agent for Moffat Electropall,  
Gem Stock Driver, Gem Grain  
Grinder, Gem Electric Fence  
(Canada's own electric fence).  
Queensville Phone 1412

**GREEN'S**  
WALLPAPER - PAINT  
7 Spruce St., Aurora, Phone 393  
(one block east of Aurora Dairy)

**GRAVES & ALLEN  
TAXI**  
24-HOUR SERVICE  
PHONE 777  
rear of  
King George Hotel

**McMULLEN'S TAXI**  
FOR PROMPT SERVICE  
PHONE 390  
Newmarket

**J. A. PERKS**  
SHUR-GAIN FEED SERVICE  
Dealer for  
NEWMARKET DISTRICT  
HAY - STRAW - SALT - LIME  
Phone 657 Box 315

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday congratulations this  
week go to:  
Ruth Glenn, Newmarket, five  
years old on Wednesday, July 22.  
Ada A. Brown, R. R. 1, Sutton  
West, 14 years old on Thursday,  
July 23.  
June S. Norton, R. R. 1, Sutton  
West, 13 years old on Saturday,  
July 25.  
Send in your name, age and  
birthday and become a member  
of The Era and Express Birthday  
club.

**SHARON  
RED CROSS BRANCH  
MAKES BIG SHIPMENT**

Sharon, July 15.—Mr. and Mrs.  
Thos. Collins spent the weekend  
at Oakville with Mr. and Mrs.  
A. D. Evans.  
Mrs. John Tate of Gormley is  
visiting Mrs. Ethel Evans and  
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate of  
Richmond Hill visited Mr. and  
Mrs. E. R. Fry on Sunday.  
Miss Helen Shaw of Toronto  
spent the weekend at her home  
here.

Mrs. John Moore of Mount  
Albert and Mrs. Merton Shaw of  
Hamilton spent a few days last  
week a guest of Miss Nora Shaw.  
Mrs. Alan Case and David  
spent Wednesday in Toronto.

A shipment made by East  
Gwillimbury branch of the Can-  
adian Red Cross on July 14, in-  
cluded five complete layette  
packages, each containing the  
following: three shirts, three  
gowns, one petticoat, 18 diapers,  
one cot sheet, one cot quilt, one  
bunny blanket, two mothers'  
gowns, old linen, cake soap, one  
wash cloth, 18 safety pins, assort-  
ed sizes, two knitted jackets, one  
bonnet, two prs. booties, one pr.  
socks.

Seven children's dresses, five  
girls' dresses, one lady's blouse,  
seven sweaters and socks sets,  
four girls' sweaters, two prs.  
children's socks.

One woman's airforce cardi-  
gan, six prs. W. A. gloves, one  
W. A. calot, one pr. socks, three  
prs. khaki gloves, one pr.  
khaki socks.

Seven prs. seamen's socks,  
short, 13 prs. seamen's socks,  
long, 14 prs. soldiers' socks,  
short, nine seamen's turtleneck  
sweaters, three turtleneck tuck-  
ins, two prs. khaki gloves, 20 prs.  
whole mitts, two seamen's  
sleeveless sweaters, 15 prs. sea-  
men's socks, short.

One hundred bandages, five  
pneumonia jackets, 10 hot water  
covers, 16 large quilts, 11 small  
quilts.

**BELHAVEN  
FORMER MEMBER  
ENTERTAINS W. I.**

The July meeting of Belhaven  
Women's Institute was in the  
form of a picnic. Five carloads  
of members drove to Churchill  
to visit Mrs. Reeves who was  
formerly Fern Horner of Bel-  
haven.

During the afternoon a short  
business meeting was held in  
connection with Navy League  
work when nearly \$15 was  
raised.

Mrs. W. Edward Cryderman  
was appointed liaison officer for  
the wartime prices and trade  
board.

After the brief business meet-  
ing members renewed their  
friendship of former years with  
Mrs. Reeves.

A delicious lunch was served  
and in closing everyone joined  
in singing Bless Be the tie that  
binds.

**MISTAKEN IDENTITY**  
She was a big, strong woman,  
and the burglar she had tackled  
bore unmistakable signs of pun-  
ishment as the police arrived.  
Justice of the Peace: "It was  
very brave of you, lady, to risk  
your life and to set upon the  
burglar and capture him; but  
you did not need to blacken both  
his eyes and knock all his teeth  
out, did you?"

Woman (looking very indig-  
nant): "How was I to know it  
was a burglar? I had been wait-  
ing up for my husband for three  
hours, and in the dark, and I  
thought it was him."

**GRAVES & ALLEN  
TAXI**  
24-HOUR SERVICE  
PHONE 777  
rear of  
King George Hotel

**McMULLEN'S TAXI**  
FOR PROMPT SERVICE  
PHONE 390  
Newmarket

**J. A. PERKS**  
SHUR-GAIN FEED SERVICE  
Dealer for  
NEWMARKET DISTRICT  
HAY - STRAW - SALT - LIME  
Phone 657 Box 315

Have Lots of Bread,  
No Laundry Service

Georgina township council met  
at Pefferlaw on Monday, July 6.  
All members were present.

The time for the tax collector's  
report to be in was extended  
until the next regular council  
meeting.

A motion was passed by the  
council regretting that under the  
wartime prices and trade board  
regulations, laundry trucks were  
not allowed in the district and  
as this service was considered  
necessary they felt that some of  
the bread trucks covering the  
area could be dispensed with and  
residents could have a laundry  
service in the municipality in  
their place.

The council passed a motion  
requesting that the employees of  
the municipality be exempt from  
unemployment insurance owing  
to the fact that the employment  
is permanent and they have  
other means of livelihood.

General accounts passed for  
payment included: Village of  
Sutton, relief, \$10.95; R. L. Boag,  
registering by-law, \$2.53; County  
of York, hospitalization, \$90.12;  
W. C. Evans, treasurer, comm. on  
tax sale, \$10.18; George Foster,  
police duties, \$22.70; Lawrence  
O'Neil, township schools' picnic  
prizes, \$10; road voucher No. 7,  
\$426.58.

The council adjourned to meet  
again at Pefferlaw on Monday,  
Aug. 3, at 7.30 p.m.

## Ravenshoe

The W. A. will hold their  
monthly tea on Thursday, July  
30, at the church. Tea will be  
served from six to eight p.m. All  
members are requested to help  
with the baking, due to the  
sugar shortage.

Mrs. Geo. Hamilton and Mrs.  
Thos. Johnson spent a few days  
recently in Woodville and Tor-  
onto.

A number from this neighbor-  
hood went blueberry-picking  
over the weekend, but found the  
berries very scarce.

Misses Marion and Beth King  
have returned home after spend-  
ing their holidays with their  
aunt in the Haliburton district.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank William-  
son have returned home after  
visiting their daughter, Mrs.  
Arnold, in Gravenhurst.

Mrs. Lorne Mahoney is ill in  
the Sutton hospital.

A large number attended the  
Sunday-school picnic at Jack-  
son's Point on Thursday and  
spent a very enjoyable after-  
noon at the lake.

The ladies of this neighbor-  
hood are reminded of the Red  
Cross sewing meetings at Bel-  
haven on Wednesday and Thurs-  
day of next week, July 29 and  
30. This work is urgently need-  
ed and an effort to help on the  
home front and hasten the end  
of this terrible conflict should  
be made.

## KESWICK

**16-Year-Old P.J. Brings  
In Launch In Storm**

Miss Myrtle Lloyd of Toronto  
is visiting her aunts, the Misses  
Marriott, at "La Claire," on the  
lake shore.

Mrs. Robt. Hillaby of Rich-  
mond Hill has been spending  
some time here with Mrs. Hill-  
aby, Sr.

Mr. Devor, general manager of  
a Highland Park plant, Detroit,  
Mich., spent a few days last week  
the guest of Mrs. Thos. Mann  
and Mr. Munro Mann at their  
cottage at Keswick beach.

Mrs. Van VanNorman of New-  
market, who has been a guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King, spent  
last Wednesday at Mr. and Mrs.  
Freeman Pollock's, and also  
called on old friends in the  
village.

Miss Gwen Norman of Toronto  
returned home Sunday after a  
week's visit with her friend, Miss  
Joan Peel.

Miss K. Peel, R.N., of Toronto,  
is having holidays at home.

Mrs. Sinclair of Ringwood  
visited her daughters, Mrs. Ser-  
rick and Mrs. Kennedy, on  
Tuesday of last week.

Several electrical storms left  
Keswick residents without lights  
for a part of both Saturday and  
Sunday nights. The storm on  
the lake was described as the  
roughest in Lake Simcoe's history.

A motor launch, piloted by 16-  
year-old Lloyd Crate of Keswick,  
stalled in the storm but by  
dropping anchor and keeping  
the bow of the helpless craft  
headed toward the wind, he was  
towed to safety by Cecil Clapp  
of Toronto in an outboard  
motorboat.

Passengers on board were Mr.  
and Mrs. Walter Richmond of  
Keswick and three Toronto  
guests.

At Sutton, Newmarket and  
Queensville trees were blown  
across hydro and telephone  
lines, breaking the cables.

Frank Tomlinson of Sutton  
lost five purebred Jersey cows  
when a tree sheltering them was  
struck with lightning.

Mr. Gerald Linstead spent the  
weekend at Musselman's Lake  
with friends.

The weekend traffic was ex-  
ceptionally heavy, with people  
seeking shelter at the lake from  
the intense heat.

Mrs. Mills and Miss Ollie

## GEORGINA

**Have Lots of Bread,  
No Laundry Service**

Georgina township council met  
at Pefferlaw on Monday, July 6.  
All members were present.

The time for the tax collector's  
report to be in was extended  
until the next regular council  
meeting.

A motion was passed by the  
council regretting that under the  
wartime prices and trade board  
regulations, laundry trucks were  
not allowed in the district and  
as this service was considered  
necessary they felt that some of  
the bread trucks covering the  
area could be dispensed with and  
residents could have a laundry  
service in the municipality in  
their place.

The council passed a motion  
requesting that the employees of  
the municipality be exempt from  
unemployment insurance owing  
to the fact that the employment  
is permanent and they have  
other means of livelihood.

General accounts passed for  
payment included: Village of  
Sutton, relief, \$10.95; R. L. Boag,  
registering by-law, \$2.53; County  
of York, hospitalization, \$90.12;  
W. C. Evans, treasurer, comm. on  
tax sale, \$10.18; George Foster,  
police duties, \$22.70; Lawrence  
O'Neil, township schools' picnic  
prizes, \$10; road voucher No. 7,  
\$426.58.

The council adjourned to meet  
again at Pefferlaw on Monday,  
Aug. 3, at 7.30 p.m.

## Ravenshoe

The W. A. will hold their  
monthly tea on Thursday, July  
30, at the church. Tea will be  
served from six to eight p.m. All  
members are requested to help  
with the baking, due to the  
sugar shortage.

Mrs. Geo. Hamilton and Mrs.  
Thos. Johnson spent a few days  
recently in Woodville and Tor-  
onto.

A number from this neighbor-  
hood went blueberry-picking  
over the weekend, but found the  
berries very scarce.

Misses Marion and Beth King  
have returned home after spend-  
ing their holidays with their  
aunt in the Haliburton district.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank William-  
son have returned home after  
visiting their daughter, Mrs.  
Arnold, in Gravenhurst.

Mrs. Lorne Mahoney is ill in  
the Sutton hospital.

A large number attended the  
Sunday-school picnic at Jack-  
son's Point on Thursday and  
spent a very enjoyable after-  
noon at the lake.

The ladies of this neighbor-  
hood are reminded of the Red  
Cross sewing meetings at Bel-  
haven on Wednesday and Thurs-  
day of next week, July 29 and  
30. This work is urgently need-  
ed and an effort to help on the  
home front and hasten the end  
of this terrible conflict should  
be made.

## KESWICK

**16-Year-Old P.J. Brings  
In Launch In Storm**

Miss Myrtle Lloyd of Toronto  
is visiting her aunts, the Misses  
Marriott, at "La Claire," on the  
lake shore.

Mrs. Robt. Hillaby of Rich-  
mond Hill has been spending  
some time here with Mrs. Hill-  
aby, Sr.

Mr. Devor, general manager of  
a Highland Park plant, Detroit,  
Mich., spent a few days last week  
the guest of Mrs. Thos. Mann  
and Mr. Munro Mann at their  
cottage at Keswick beach.

Mrs. Van VanNorman of New-  
market, who has been a guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King, spent  
last Wednesday at Mr. and Mrs.  
Freeman Pollock's, and also  
called on old friends in the  
village.

Miss Gwen Norman of Toronto  
returned home Sunday after a  
week's visit with her friend, Miss  
Joan Peel.

Miss K. Peel, R.N., of Toronto,  
is having holidays at home.

Mrs. Sinclair of Ringwood  
visited her daughters, Mrs. Ser-  
rick and Mrs. Kennedy, on  
Tuesday of last week.

Several electrical storms left  
Keswick residents without lights  
for a part of both Saturday and  
Sunday nights. The storm on  
the lake was described as the  
roughest in Lake Simcoe's history.

A motor launch, piloted by 16-  
year-old Lloyd Crate of Keswick,  
stalled in the storm but by  
dropping anchor and keeping  
the bow of the helpless craft  
headed toward the wind, he was  
towed to safety by Cecil Clapp  
of Toronto in an outboard  
motorboat.

Passengers on board were Mr.  
and Mrs. Walter Richmond of  
Keswick and three Toronto  
guests.

At Sutton, Newmarket and  
Queensville trees were blown  
across hydro and telephone  
lines, breaking the cables.

Frank Tomlinson of Sutton  
lost five purebred Jersey cows  
when a tree sheltering them was  
struck with lightning.

Mr. Gerald Linstead spent the  
weekend at Musselman's Lake  
with friends.

The weekend traffic was ex-  
ceptionally heavy, with people  
seeking shelter at the lake from  
the intense heat.

Mrs. Mills and Miss Ollie

## SCHOMBERG

**Lady Receives Shock  
From Electric Stove**

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Aitchison  
and family visited Mr. and Mrs.  
Frank Beatty at Kettleby on  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jordan and  
son of Hamilton, and Miss Muriel  
Wood of Woodbridge, spent the  
weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H.  
Wood.

Master Stewart Sutton of  
Brampton is holidaying with his  
grandfather, Mr. J. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett of Rich-  
mond Hill visited Mr. and Mrs.  
E. Aitchison on Sunday.

Master Morris Maynard of  
Toronto has been holidaying  
with his cousin, Donald Fuller.

Miss Blanche Watson has re-  
turned home after spending a  
few weeks with her grand-  
mother, Mrs. Bowes, at Noble-  
ton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan of  
Aurora called on Mrs. McKinley  
on Thursday evening.

Mr. W. L. McGowan spent  
Wednesday in Toronto.

Mr. John Carter of Weston  
has been spending his vacation  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
H. Carter.

Mrs. Haigh met with a serious  
accident on Wednesday while  
preserving fruit. She was taking  
a kettle of water from the elec-  
tric stove and received a shock  
which made her drop the kettle  
and spill the water on her ankle  
and foot.

Signaller Tom Packer of Camp  
Borden is home for two weeks.

The A.Y.P.A. of the United  
church held their picnic at Innis-  
fil Park on Friday afternoon.

## NOTHIN' BUT

Mandy Walker, the old negress  
who washed for Mrs. Frisk, came  
one day with a tale of woe cal-  
culated to awaken pity in the  
hardest heart.

"Cheer up, Mandy," said Mrs.  
Frisk consolingly. "There's no  
use in worrying."

But Mandy held other views.  
"How come dere's no use in  
worryin'?" she demanded.

When de good Lawd send me  
tribulation He 'spect me to tribu-  
late, ain't He?"

## Zephyr

Mrs. Trotter and baby of  
Islington visited Mrs. J. H.  
Lockie and family recently.

Mrs. R. Harman of Mount  
Albert is spending a few days  
with friends in Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Everton Picker-  
ing of Toronto spent the week-  
end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence  
Pickering.

Miss Muriel Lunney of Tor-  
onto spent the weekend with Mr.  
and Mrs. Chesley Lunney.

Miss Mildred Lunney of Tor-  
onto is spending her holidays  
with Mr. and Mrs. Chesley  
Lunney.

Mrs. John Bomby (Isa Allan),  
Catharine Allan and David  
Allan called on friends in Zephyr  
lately. Mrs. Bomby is in the  
women's division of the R.C.A.F.  
at Toronto, and Mr. Bomby is in  
the R.C.A.F. at Winnipeg. David  
Allan is in the Canadian army  
and a brother, Jack, is in the  
British merchant marine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard of  
Zephyr spent Monday visiting  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Gordon, and his  
brother Philip, and son, Keith,  
and family.

Ptes. George and Howard  
Pickering, Shelbourne, N.S., are  
spending their two weeks holi-  
days with their father and  
relatives.

Miss Catharine Allan was  
chosen by her fellow workers, as  
one of their representatives at  
the police games beauty contest  
in Toronto recently.

## 7TH CON. N. G.

7th Con. N. G., July 16.—Sun-  
day-school at Mount Pleasant  
has been re-organized and starts  
at 2 p.m., with church at 3 p.m.  
every Sunday.

The young people's picnic has  
been postponed.

Misses Jean Small and Phyllis  
Stephens, Toronto, are spend-  
ing a few weeks with Mrs. Bert  
Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen May, Tor-  
onto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Levi  
Ley recently.

Quite a number from here at-  
tended the street dance in Sutton  
on Thursday night.

Congratulations are extended  
to Mr. and Mrs. "Sandy" Main-  
prize on the birth of a daughter  
at Sutton hospital, Saturday,  
July 11, a sister for Florence.

Miss Louise Hamilton is visit-  
ing her cousin, Miss Marion  
Hamilton.

Recent visitors at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. E. Miller were Mrs.  
Barnes and Mrs. Miller's father,  
Mr. Seneca Baker, of Baker Hill,  
and Mr. and Mrs. Longhurst of  
Belhaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller  
and daughter, Gloria, were re-  
cent visitors at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. M. Cryderman, Bald-  
win.

Sowerby of Toronto are enjoy-  
ing a holiday at Keswick beach.

The annual garden party of  
the Women's Association has  
been cancelled for this year due  
to present wartime conditions.



## MOUNT ALBERT English Minister Sends Card to Boy's Parents

The Cheerio club held their annual picnic on Friday afternoon at the home of the Misses Brooks, when about 30 ladies were present, and in spite of rain, had a lovely time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Theaker, Beth, and Miss Harmon went to Owen Sound on Saturday and took a weekend boat-trip from there.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Sheppard of Sutton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheppard on Saturday.

The L. O. Lodge held an ice-cream social at the home of Mr. M. Gibeay at Holt on Thursday evening, when they entertained the junior band and their parents to an enjoyable evening. There were about 80 present.

Miss Jessie Johnson of Caledonia is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Couper.

Pilot-Officer Don Stewart is home on two weeks leave. He has been at the east coast for some weeks.

Joan Morris of Toronto, who has been spending two weeks with Mrs. Roy Carr, has returned home.

There will be no evening service at the United church during July and August but services will be held at Hartman in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Allison have moved in with Mr. C. Blyth.

Next Sunday morning at the United church, the church school will take up a collection for the fresh air camp of the City Home Mission.

Mr. G. B. Barnes left on Monday to take a summer short course at Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pearson received a card last week from a minister, Rev. Davies, in Eng-

land, who had met their son, Jack, at a Y.M.C.A. hut. He wanted to let them know he was well and had had a nice visit with him and would have him up to his home. This was appreciated by his parents.

Mrs. Leadbetter was called to Goodwood on Friday owing to the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Nelson Wagg.

Gordon Moon, of the Dominion bank staff, has been promoted to the position of teller at Uxbridge, assuming his new duties July 27.

L. D. Cooper, ledger-keeper at the Dominion bank, Uxbridge, will be the new teller here.

John Calver of the R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Calver, of St. John's, P.Q., are visiting Mr. Calver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver.

Misses Florence and Gladys Brooks have recently returned from a holiday spent near Minden and Port Carling.

Miss Nora Wilson of Toronto has been at home for a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wilson.

Miss Mina Oliver of Toronto spent a week's holidays at her home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver and the twins spent several days last week on a fishing trip near Brecken.

Mrs. J. Rennie and John are spending a week at Orillia with Mrs. Rennie's sister, Mrs. Austin Cook.

Mr. Jack Stiver of the R.C.A.F., Winnipeg, visited his aunt, Mrs. Thos. Watts, and other relatives on Monday of this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Francis Stiver of Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. Baine and daughters, Betty and Lorraine of Woodstock, have been spending their holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Draper, Mrs. Baine's sister.

The severe electric storms on Saturday night and all Sunday afternoon did considerable damage to crops in this vicinity, trees were broken, awnings blown down, the hydro was off for several hours owing to poles and wires being broken and, on the whole, it was a very stormy afternoon.

The United church Sunday-school are arranging a picnic to be held in the near future and they expect to hold it in the park.

Harold Murphy of the R.C.A.F. has been on leave and was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Parks.

**QUEENSVILLE**  
**Bride-To-Be Is Honored**  
**At Kitchenware Shower**

Mrs. John L. Smith entertained a number of the ladies of the community on Monday afternoon at a kitchenware shower in honor of a bride-to-be, Miss Lorna Pearson, whose wedding will take place in Queensville United church on Aug. 1.

Previous to this shower, Mrs. Gordon Rowe gave a shower for Miss Pearson in Toronto, on Saturday, when a number of Queensville girls now residents of Toronto attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Fierheller and family, Mr. John Fierheller, and Mrs. Harold Saville, all of Toronto, spent a few days this week visiting in the village.

Mr. Dan Shannon of Toronto is home on holidays.

A lovely church service was held in Queensville United church last Sunday morning. A choir of 31 children, under the leadership of Mrs. J. L. Smith, sang several numbers and many thought it to be the best children's choir Queensville has yet

## POLICE COURT POLICE FIND LIQUOR IN HALF DOZEN CARS

Magistrate W. N. Robinson heard some 127 cases on Tuesday in what was the longest police court session held in Newmarket this year. The session, which began at 10 a.m., continued on through to 6 p.m. with but a half-hour intermission for lunch.

Of the cases heard 109 were speeding charges, the majority laid under the war-time traffic regulations. Three drivers were fined \$25 and costs. They exceeded the speed limit on Yonge St. About 60 drivers were fined \$15 and costs or ten days. Other fines ranged from \$6 to \$9. A number of cases were adjourned until next week.

Of the 109 speeding cases seven drivers were fined by Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson on Yonge St., 16 were fined by Constable Fisher Dunham in Aurora, nine by Constable Kenneth Mount and one by Chief Constable James Sloss exceeding the speed limit on Eagle Street in Newmarket, 16 by Constable Joseph Jardine and 27 by County Constable Ronald Watt in East Gwillimbury, 11 by County Constable William Hill, 20 by Constable W. Foster and two by Constable Alex. McCallum in North Gwillimbury.

Eight Toronto residents were fined \$10 and costs each, for illegal possession of liquor, namely: J. E. Wright, Howard T. Barnes, Ross Tierney, Russell Ronaldson, Wm. J. D. Watt, Melvin Haffie, Edward Zajac and Percy H. Denney. They all pleaded guilty to the charges.

According to Constable Robert Windsor, he had come across four of the accused men while inspecting cars at Musselman's Lake. On June 22, at 10:15 p.m., he found a partly consumed bottle of rum in J. E. Wright's car. On June 20 at 1:15 a.m. he examined the car of Howard Barnes, which was parked in the parking lot at Musselman's Lake, and found a quarter of a bottle of rye. The officer stated that Mr. Barnes had been driving the car.

Constable Windsor further testified that on the same evening at 11 o'clock, he went to the car of Bruce Phillips, which was parked in the lake parking lot, and found a partly consumed bottle of gin. Ross Tierney, Toronto, told his worship that the liquor belonged to him and that he would assume responsibility for it. The charge against Bruce Phillips, who was jointly charged with Mr. Tierney, was withdrawn.

Constable Windsor went on to say that, while checking cars at the same lake on June 27, he found a quantity of rye in the motorcar of Russell Ronaldson at 11:10 p.m. Magistrate Robinson fined Mr. Ronaldson \$10 and costs.

Found guilty of illegal possession of liquor on highway number eleven on July 8, Wm. J. D. Watt, Toronto, now stationed at Newmarket military camp, was fined \$10 and costs. Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson laid the charge.

A sixth case of illegal possession of liquor was that of Melvin Haffie. According to County Constable William Hill, while patrolling Ossington Park on July 4 at 11 p.m., he noticed the defendant with a bottle of beer in his hand. The officer stated that the accused had two bottles of beer and that one bottle was opened.

According to Constable Aubrey Fleury, he came across Edward Zajac, Toronto, in Whitcomb Township on July 19 at 2:54 a.m. The officer stated that he found a quantity of beer in the defendant's car.

Found guilty of illegal possession of liquor in his car, Percy H. Denney, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs. Constable W. Foster of North Gwillimbury, who laid the charge, told his worship that Mr. Denney had also entered a through street without stopping and had exceeded the speed limit in North Gwillimbury. His worship fined Mr. Denney \$15 and costs on the speeding charge and \$1 and costs on the "entering a through street" charge.

Pleading guilty to "defacing notices" on Yonge St. on July 7, Harry Graves, Newmarket, was fined \$10 and costs.

In his testimony, Constable Ferguson told his worship that on the day in question, at 7:25 p.m., he noticed the defendant driving his car on the highway south of Bond Lake.

"I saw him straddle with his car the road flags put down by the workmen over the paint marking on the highway," stated the officer.

Constable Ferguson went on to explain that flags which were mounted on blocks had been broken and were a danger to other motorists. He stated that the time lost repairing the damage and repainting the highway cost the department of highways in the vicinity of \$2,000.

"This boy had no idea of the amount of damage he was doing at the time," commented Constable Ferguson.

After hearing evidence on charges of driving while intoxicated and dangerous driving against Percy H. Denney, Orr, Toronto, Magistrate Robinson adjourned the case until Aug. 4. His worship allowed the defendant a bail of \$500.

In his testimony Chief Constable Walter A. Reeves of Bradford told his worship that on the evening of June 23 at about 10 p.m. he had his worship in his home reading a newspaper when he heard a crash and went outside to investigate. The officer stated that he saw a telephone pole across the street broken off and lying on the road. He found a piece of metal from the wheel of a car and this he gave to Constable Ferguson the next day. The witness stated that he noticed a car further down the road, coasted, so followed down the highway for about five miles when his car "went out of gas".

The officer said that he then telephoned Constable Ferguson. "I was driving south about a mile and a half south of Aurora when I went to pass the accused's car," testified John Smith of Richmond Hill. "It swerved out in front of me. I applied my brakes and pulled in behind him. He swung on to the right shoulder and back again to the other side of the road."

Asked by Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K.C., if Mr. Orr was driving at a high rate of speed, the witness replied that at no time was he going over 30 miles an hour.

"Going around the bend at Bond Lake he was on the wrong side of the road," continued Mr. Smith. "He collided with a north-bound car."

Queried by the crown as to whether the defendant was in normal condition at the time he had spoken to him after the accident, the witness stated that he smelled alcohol on Mr. Orr's breath.

According to the testimony of P. Hyde of Oak Ridge, he was driving north in the vicinity of Bond Lake on the evening of June 23 when he noticed the defendant's car coming across the highway straight towards his car. He stated that he pulled out to his right to try and avoid a collision, which took place on the extreme east side of the four-lane highway. The witness stated that \$35 damage done to his car had already been paid for by the defendant.

In reply to queries of Mr. Mathews, the witness stated that on the night of the accident Mr. Orr "was a bit muddled but could talk about the war." He said that there was a "slight smell of liquor" about the defendant's person.

When called to the witness-box, Constable Ferguson told his worship that the width of the road at the scene of the accident was 44 feet, and that the point of impact was three feet from the east side of the road. He said that he had received a call from Constable Reeves shortly before he received another call about the collision at Bond Lake. He added that upon examining the Orr car he found that the place of metal given to him by Constable Reeves fitted it.

Questioned by the crown as to the defendant's condition, the officer stated: "In my opinion he was intoxicated." He said that the defendant's eyes were bloodshot, his speech was slurred and his breath smelled of liquor.

In his defence, Mr. Orr stated that he was a credit manager and that his work that day took him as far as Stayner. He stated that he had travelled approximately 180 miles that day and had been up late the night previous seeing his son, who is in the air force, for Ottawa. He stated that his son had been on sick leave from England because he had been in a crash which left him mentally and physically ill.

Explaining his car accident, he said that he had become drowsy at the wheel. He said that he had had about four glasses of beer on the way, thinking that they would brace him up until he returned home, but instead they had had the opposite reaction. He also stated that he had already paid \$28 for the telephone pole.

Called by the defence, Dr. L. W. Dales informed Magistrate Robinson that he had examined the defendant previous to the hearing of the case and found him suffering from chronic sinus, high blood

## WAS BORN DURING BLITZ

Lawrence Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stephens of England, is two years old and was born while his homeland was under blitz attack. His father attended Aurora high school. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stephens, Aurora.

pressure, and that he was under intense physical strain.

"I believe that one glass of beer would contribute to drunkenness in this man's condition," he stated.

"What is drunkenness?" asked Defence Counsel Frank Moore.

"Drunkenness is the inability to do the right thing in the proper time due to a person taking alcohol," replied the witness.

Dr. Dales went on to say that the defendant "is a sick man."

"Then you say that this man is not fit to drive on the highway?" asked his worship.

"I would say absolutely not," replied the witness. "I would say that he should be examined before he is permitted to drive."

Found guilty of a charge of vagrancy, Walter Kay, Willow Beach, was fined \$5 and costs of \$5.50 or ten days. The defendant pleaded guilty to the charge.

County Constable William Hill testified that at 2 a.m. on July 16 he had received information that the defendant had been hammering on the door and windows of a house at Jackson's Point.

The officer stated that later in the day Mr. Kay admitted he had been drunk at the time. He had bicycled to Jackson's Point and left his wheel outside a store. When he returned for it he found it gone and believed that the owner of the store had taken it. He mistook the lady's home for that of the storekeeper.

Having him the "benefit of the doubt" when the witnesses for the other side could not be present because, as soldiers, they were dispersed to far-away camps, Magistrate Robinson dismissed the charge of careless driving against William Shier, Newmarket. Mr. Shier's car had been in collision with another at the intersection of Huron and Yonge Sts. on July 7.

"I am not at all satisfied about the case," commented his worship. Found guilty of a charge of careless driving, Thomas Roy, Newmarket, was remanded in custody for one week for sentence. The accused man, who is married, pleaded not guilty to abducting an unmarried Queensville girl under 16 years of age. The charge was laid on complaint of the girl's father.

"I am getting tired of having army officers and sergeants coming here on speeding charges," Magistrate Robinson told an army officer who appeared in police court on behalf of Sgt. Richard Clarke, Newmarket military camp. Sgt. Clarke had pleaded not guilty to a charge of speeding on Yonge St.

The officer told his worship that the defendant had had to be in Toronto before noon on the day in question in order to get supplies for the officers' mess.

"Just because they are in the army they seem to think they can do anything they like on the highway. Well, they can't do it in this court," continued his worship.

In his defence Sgt. Clarke explained that before leaving camp he had had a flat tire which held him up for some time. In Toronto he had to carry out instructions of the officer to get a spare.

"Do you mean to say that if the officers order this man to do these things for them and in carrying out their instructions he is penalized, he has to pay the penalty," the crown asked Sgt. Clarke's superior officer.

The officer replied that it was "the way it worked out."

"I think there is something rotten in Denmark," commented Mr. Mathews. "I think that if he is asked by the officers to do certain things for them and he is penalized the officers should pay the penalty. I think you ought to assess all the officers who gave him work to do."

"What were you going down to Toronto for was it to get a whole lot of liquor for the officers?" smilingly his worship asked Mr. Clarke.

His worship stated that under the circumstances he was going to dismiss the case.

"The officers seem to think they can simply drive around at any speed they like," continued Magistrate Robinson. "You can pass the word around to the rest of them that they will not get off in the future."

"I think you should instruct the officers that if any man is caught speeding in carrying out their orders, they should pay his fine," was the crown's parting shot.

On complaint of obstructing traffic on Main St., Newmarket, the following were fined \$3 and costs: Wm. Harris and Co., Toronto West Wash Laundry, Alexander Stone, Hardy Cartage, Metropolitan Transport, all of Toronto, J. Wial and Sons, Newmarket, and First Co-Op Packers, Barrie.

## Son Of Deerfoot Of Wilderness Trails Lives In Newmarket

(Continued from Page 1)

discarded his cassock, and donned the king's uniform. In company with a young Scotch acquaintance he enlisted and set out on the long traverse by way of the Great Lakes with the British forces from York to Fort Michillimacinae to oppose the American invasion at that outpost of the British possessions.

It is the son of this man, Corbiere, around whom our story turns. Born of the daring and hardy father came the son, Eli, the hero of this sketch who, after a strenuous life, died at the age of 91. It is from his son, Charles, now 89 years of age, that we learn the story of his father's life. Charles has lived over 40 years in Newmarket. Among his acquaintances he is known as Charles Kirby. Formerly he had lived in his native village of Holland Landing, where he spent his young manhood and raised his family.

Eli, the only descendant of the original French ancestor in America of whom we have knowledge, drifted into the town of York when it was chosen as the capital of Upper Canada by Colonel Simcoe. The town site was being cleared and the country to the north, though yet a wilderness, was on the continental route that led from the waters of Lake Ontario by way of the Humber and the Holland River portages into the Great Lakes system that formed the first trade route into the heart of the continent. The Humber river was not the only gateway to the north; there was also the Rouge river, east of Toronto, which led into the Lake Simcoe country, via the east branches of the Holland river. The Rouge was defended against tribal wars and the invasion of the Indians by a red man's fortress located on lot 15, concession 6, in Whitcomb township, where are buried over 2,000 warriors. The Humber route was defended likewise, the Indian fort being on the north bank of the Holland river, in Simcoe county, (opposite concession 6, King township). There is evidence of some burials at this fort but not in great numbers.

There was also another overland portage trail that, years later, was to become Yonge Street, and on this trail arose a new trading post that was named Newmarket, where Roe and Borland were among the first adventurous traders. They brought in a stock of fur traders' supplies from Albany, New York, to trade with the Indians. Soon, to forestall the traders at Newmarket, another post was set up on the banks of the Holland River at the Pine Port. At this point the Indians from the north landed with their furs. Roe and his partner Borland, opened their trading post in Newmarket, which was several miles south and inland. The old tree under which they did business still stands in the centre of Timothy St.

Eli Corbiere was their first clerk. The firm's trade with the Indians was \$40,000 in the first year. A hundred tepees could be seen on the river bank at "The Landing."

Eli, the young clerk, had many qualifications. He could speak French as well as the English language and he had a knowledge of the Indian tongue, gained from his contact with the tribes on voyages and in their wigwags. There is no doubt that Eli had been as far as Albany, and few could equal him as a trail ranger. He had made the trip between Toronto and Hamilton on foot in eight hours, and he could handle a canoe.

The year 1808 found this youth so planted in the frontier trading post at Newmarket. A business of his own, however, was his ambition, for Mary McMain, an Irish colleen, had stolen his heart. Marriage rested and there was the prospect of a family to support, so he went to the new town, down river at the head of navigation, and went into business for himself in the Holland Landing. The village was growing rapidly, as it was the terminus of Governor Simcoe's new military and colonization road which was being put through.

The Landing was a stirring place even in those early days. There were soldiers at the fort and the Indians in hundreds were coming down from the north to

trade. Boats were being built by the white traders on the river's edge at Soldiers' Bay (a half mile north of the Big Anchor), to pick up the trade and commerce which was coming overland from York. There was not only the fur trade, but also the opening up of settlements in the new north. Mills, tanneries, ships, building yards, stores, inn, tradesmen and mechanics of all kinds were setting up their establishments. Lime-kilns and charcoal pits were burning day and night. Rural lines of stage coaches, drawn by four-horse teams, made daily trips to York.

Eli Corbiere started in the shoe-making trade and soon had five journeymen employed. There were tanneries in the village from which he obtained his supplies of leather.

Settlers were pushing through into the northern districts around Kempenfeldt Bay and beyond. Eli was the first to carry His Majesty's mail to the point where a few log cabins broke the wilderness at the lake shore on the site of what is now the town of Barrie.

This mail route was a stretch of 30 miles or more through woods and bogs and over streams, for the most part an unblazed trail through dense forest, between Holland Landing and Barrie. When volunteers were sought to carry the mail between these points there were few equal to the task, but the undaunted, lean, strong, fleet-footed runner, Corbiere, volunteered his services. There were many dangers on the uncharted trail. Wild animals were plentiful in those days. Wolves and bears were numerous, and the streams were many and dangerous to cross. Indians were lurking for their villages were numerous in the Simcoe district through which he had to pass, and the white man's "fire water" made them troublesome. Eli made his way alone and on foot. Some suggested that he use a horse for part of his trip but this he decided against.

There was a warm welcome for His Majesty's mail courier on his first arrival at the new outpost. He was their contact with civilization and the "front."

He had not been on the route for many months when mail service was applied for in Orillia, Coldwater and Penetanguishene districts, 30 miles beyond Barrie. This made the route more arduous and few were able for the task. Corbiere was enlisted for this new 60-mile route. No one could surpass Eli; he was six feet two inches tall, fleet-footed as a deer and almost as tireless. He made this long journey regularly, and on one occasion made the distance of 60 miles between sun up and sundown. He gloried in his strength and fame as a mail courier and to his last days, delighted in telling his young son, Charles, of his prowess on the trails and in the forest.

In 1910 he died at the ripe age of 91, so that his birth year would be 1819.

Holland Landing was the scene of his son's nativity. Here Charles Corbiere grew up, and as a boy, he knew every inch of the forest, where venison was plentiful and supplied the family table, and the streams in the neighborhood, which provided an abundance of fish. The father caught one lunge weighing 50 pounds. He knew all the inhabitants of the village and countryside. He saw the Indians arrive from the north and plant their tepees, by the score, on the river bank from which they went to hunt and fish, and to do their trading in the "Landing" and Newmarket.

Trader Roe, at Newmarket, could "roll out the barrel" for he had his own distillery near the flour mill of John Cawthra, which was located a few miles west of Yonge Street, near Glenville, where the mill stream afforded power for the sawmill and grist-mill and other industries at that hamlet. Whisky was then the leading article of commerce. Some country stores would carry a stock of ten barrels or more. The jug and the mug were on the trader's counter, and drink was then a good, effective means of advertising and gaining trade and goodwill.

We will confine ourselves in this article to the great feat of "Deerfoot" Corbiere in making

## Son Of Deerfoot Of Wilderness Trails Lives In Newmarket

(Continued from Page 1)

discarded his cassock, and donned the king's uniform. In company with a young Scotch acquaintance he enlisted and set out on the long traverse by way of the Great Lakes with the British forces from York to Fort Michillimacinae to oppose the American invasion at that outpost of the British possessions.

It is the son of this man, Corbiere, around whom our story turns. Born of the daring and hardy father came the son, Eli, the hero of this sketch who, after a strenuous life, died at the age of 91. It is from his son, Charles, now 89 years of age, that we learn the story of his father's life. Charles has lived over 40 years in Newmarket. Among his acquaintances he is known as Charles Kirby. Formerly he had lived in his native village of Holland Landing, where he spent his young manhood and raised his family.

Eli, the only descendant of the original French ancestor in America of whom we have knowledge, drifted into the town of York when it was chosen as the capital of Upper Canada by Colonel Simcoe. The town site was being cleared and the country to the north, though yet a wilderness, was on the continental route that led from the waters of Lake Ontario by way of the Humber and the Holland River portages into the Great Lakes system that formed the first trade route into the heart of the continent. The Humber river was not the only gateway to the north; there was also the Rouge river, east of Toronto, which led into the Lake Simcoe country, via the east branches of the Holland river. The Rouge was defended against tribal wars and the invasion of the Indians by a red man's fortress located on lot 15, concession 6, in Whitcomb township, where are buried over 2,000 warriors. The Humber route was defended likewise, the Indian fort being on the north bank of the Holland river, in Simcoe county, (opposite concession 6, King township). There is evidence of some burials at this fort but not in great numbers.

There was also another overland portage trail that, years later, was to become Yonge Street, and on this trail arose a new trading post that was named Newmarket, where Roe and Borland were among the first adventurous traders. They brought in a stock of fur traders' supplies from Albany, New York, to trade with the Indians. Soon, to forestall the traders at Newmarket, another post was set up on the banks of the Holland River at the Pine Port. At this point the Indians from the north landed with their furs. Roe and his partner Borland, opened their trading post in Newmarket, which was several miles south and inland. The old tree under which they did business still stands in the centre of Timothy St.

Eli Corbiere was their first clerk. The firm's trade with the Indians was \$40,000 in the first year. A hundred tepees could be seen on the river bank at "The Landing."

Eli, the young clerk, had many qualifications. He could speak French as well as the English language and he had a knowledge of the Indian tongue, gained from his contact with the tribes on voyages and in their wigwags. There is no doubt that Eli had been as far as Albany, and few could equal him as a trail ranger. He had made the trip between Toronto and Hamilton on foot in eight hours, and he could handle a canoe.

The year 1808 found this youth so planted in the frontier trading post at Newmarket. A business of his own, however, was his ambition, for Mary McMain, an Irish colleen, had stolen his heart. Marriage rested and there was the prospect of a family to support, so he went to the new town, down river at the head of navigation, and went into business for himself in the Holland Landing. The village was growing rapidly, as it was the terminus of Governor Simcoe's new military and colonization road which was being put through.

The Landing was a stirring place even in those early days. There were soldiers at the fort and the Indians in hundreds were coming down from the north to

trade. Boats were being built by the white traders on the river's edge at Soldiers' Bay (a half mile north of the Big Anchor), to pick up the trade and commerce which was coming overland from York. There was not only the fur trade, but also the opening up of settlements in the new north. Mills, tanneries, ships, building yards, stores, inn, tradesmen and mechanics of all kinds were setting up their establishments. Lime-kilns and charcoal pits were burning day and night. Rural lines of stage coaches, drawn by four-horse teams, made daily trips to York.

Eli Corbiere started in the shoe-making trade and soon had five journeymen employed. There were tanneries in the village from which he obtained his supplies of leather.

Settlers were pushing through into the northern districts around Kempenfeldt Bay and beyond. Eli was the first to carry His Majesty's mail to the point where a few log cabins broke the wilderness at the lake shore on the site of what is now the town of Barrie.

This mail route was a stretch of 30 miles or more through woods and bogs and over streams, for the most part an unblazed trail through dense forest, between Holland Landing and Barrie. When volunteers were sought to carry the mail between these points there were few equal to the task, but the undaunted, lean, strong, fleet-footed runner, Corbiere, volunteered his services. There were many dangers on the uncharted trail. Wild animals were plentiful in those days. Wolves and bears were numerous, and the streams were many and dangerous to cross. Indians were lurking for their villages were numerous in the Simcoe district through which he had to pass, and the white man's "fire water" made them troublesome. Eli made his way alone and on foot. Some suggested that he use a horse for part of his trip but this he decided against.

There was a warm welcome for His Majesty's mail courier on his first arrival at the new outpost. He was their contact with civilization and the "front."

He had not been on the route for many months when mail service was applied for in Orillia, Coldwater and Penetanguishene districts, 30 miles beyond Barrie. This made the route more arduous and few were able for the task. Corbiere was enlisted for this new 60-mile route. No one could surpass Eli; he was six feet two inches tall, fleet-footed as a deer and almost as tireless. He made this long journey regularly, and on one occasion made the distance of 60 miles between sun up and sundown. He gloried in his strength and fame as a mail courier and to his last days, delighted in telling his young son, Charles, of his prowess on the trails and in the forest.

In 1910 he died at the ripe age of 91, so that his birth year would be 1819.

Holland Landing was the scene of his son's nativity. Here Charles Corbiere grew up, and as a boy, he knew every inch of the forest, where venison was plentiful and supplied the family table, and the streams in the neighborhood, which provided an abundance of fish. The father caught one lunge weighing 50 pounds. He knew all the inhabitants of the village and countryside. He saw the Indians arrive from the north and plant their tepees, by the score, on the river bank from which they went to hunt and fish, and to do their trading in the "Landing" and Newmarket.

Trader Roe, at Newmarket, could "roll out the barrel" for he had his own distillery near the flour mill of John Cawthra, which was located a few miles west of Yonge Street, near Glenville, where the mill stream afforded power for the sawmill and grist-mill and other industries at that hamlet. Whisky was then the leading article of commerce. Some country stores would carry a stock of ten barrels or more. The jug and the mug were on the trader's counter, and drink was then a good, effective means of advertising and gaining trade and goodwill.

We will confine ourselves in this article to the great feat of "Deerfoot" Corbiere in making

the 60-mile run from Penetanguishene to the Holland Landing in a day. Some have doubted the truth of the story, but it is well authenticated, not only by tradition, but by Charles, his son